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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Condition of the Gold Market

NEW YORK Aug 19—Gold opened at 11 and advanced in the first few minutes to 114⅛ at 1 has since declined to 113⅞. The early advancement was influenced by foreign news by advance in bankers sterling and by talk of another gold squeeze the chief mover of which is said to be a wealthy stock speculator. Afternoon quotations—2:30 P M—from London show a fractional improvement, and foreign bankers here have private advices reporting greater improvement in the tone of the market. The U S treasurer to-day opened bids for $500 000 gold. They were for a total of $2 215 000. The lowest bid was 113 and highest 113⅞.

Gold Sales.

NEW YORK Aug. 19—Awards of gold to-day were made at from 113.82 to 113⅞.

4:30 P M—Advices from London show a slight reaction from the extreme advances previously noted.

Money and Stocks.

NEW YORK Aug 19—Gold closed at 113⅞ money 3½; governments dull and a shade lower; stocks dull but steady. Pacific 38¼, Panama 1?5, Quicksilver 15½, W Union 83⅞, N Y Central 104⅛, Erie 15½, Union Pacific 72¾, bonds 102⅝, Central Pacific 103.

The War of Races.

AUGUSTA, Ga. Aug 19.—Arrests of alleged negro insurrectionists in Johnson Washington and Jefferson counties continue. Thirteen armed negroes came to Wrightsville and surrendered. In Burke county a collision between whites and blacks seems hourly imminent. Both are under arms and negroes are reported massed a few miles from Waynesboro. White scouts were fired on by negroes this morning. The Burke people sent here to-day for troops but the governor declined to let any companies go. A number of volunteers left to-night and it is feared a fight will take place. About 100 arrests have been made in different counties.

The Times has a special from Augusta Georgia about the reported attempt at insurrection by the negroes. It says two days since a letter was found at Williamson's store the place where the colored militia drills, ordering a massacre of whites on the 16th inst. The order was signed by one Harris and stated that Rivers a colored militia general of South Carolina would be present and direct the movement. The order says: "Kill every white man and take every gun you can. Have all your companies ready. Kill with axes hoes pitchforks and get powder and shot as you kill." After commencing the work in Washington county the negroes are directed to move toward Barlow, Jefferson county where they would be joined by Gen Rivers. At first, many thought this a hoax to scare the whites but yesterday a letter was found in Jefferson county to the colored companies, giving substantially the same instructions. The whites, apprehending danger telegraphed to Macon for ammunition which was promptly furnished and distributed to the local companies. Every preparation is made for a conflict but measures have been taken to prevent a collision, and by dusk in the evening 89 negroes charged with being ringleaders in the move had been arrested. It is alleged the correspondence captured shows the existence of a conspiracy among the negroes, extending through the counties of Washington, Jefferson Johnson and Burke. It is thought that the whites will not await the process of law but lynch the prisoners. Moderation is counseled but fears for the worst are entertained. Many believe the affair greatly exaggerated and that no mischief was intended. The letter is somewhat similar to the above mentioned intercepted in Hancock county sometime ago, and the whites armed, but no conflict took place. There is the greatest excitement in the counties threatened, and the slightest imprudence may cause most serious consequences.

In an editorial notice of the above dispatch the Times says up to the present point the alarm seems ridiculous, but when we think of the possible fate of negroes in the hands of militia crazy with fear it has a serious look.

Fears of Failure of the Corn Crop.

SPRINGFIELD Ill. Aug 19—The *State Register* publishes the following: We learn that grave fears are entertained as to the corn crop owing to the cold cloudy weather. Corn is growing rank but not filling as it should. Rain and sunshine is needed. The crop is not ripening, and it is feared frost will catch it. There is much anxiety as to this matter among leading producers and it is hoped a more favorable season will soon set in and put all to rights before it is too late.

Militia Arming against Illinois Kuklux.

Nothing further is heard from the Franklin county Kuklux. The action of the authorities there has stimulated Williamson and Jackson counties and they are organizing the militia to be supplied with State arms promised by the governor.

The President Goes Codfishing then to Long Branch.

PROVIDENCE, R. I. Aug 19—This morning President Grant and party went to Coggershall Ledge codfishing meeting good success. This afternoon the cutter *Grant* went into the harbor at Block Island and the president, Secretaries Bristow and Robeson Attorney General Pierrepont and others landed. The president was met by Senators Anthony and Burnside and Gen Woodruff and enthusiastically greeted by all the residents and visitors of the island. The president proceeded to Ball's Ocean View Hotel near the landing where he held a reception for an hour or two and then dined. The cutter left the island at 5 P M for Long Branch.

Gen. Sherman in Colorado.

DENVER Aug 19—Gen Sherman and party arrived here last night. He will remain a week or ten days in the territory, visiting points of special interest, and return east by way of Leavenworth. Gen W H Slocum is a member of the party.

Plenty of Rain and Good Crops.

Heavy rains are prevailing throughout Colorado and New Mexico and the prospect for an abundant grain crop is unusually promising.

Rain Storm in Pennsylvania.

POTTSVILLE, Penn Aug 19—At Tamaqua last evening the rain poured down in torrents for three hours. Cellars were submerged, billiard tables floated and a number of saloons have been compelled to suspend business. Trains are delayed by land slides. In the lower portion of the borough where the scales are located for weighing coal the coal dirt covered the tracks for a long distance five feet deep. The Central Railroad of New Jersey was washed out and the bridges and culverts destroyed.

Failure at Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug 19—Wm Braden a prominent merchant and real estate dealer made an assignment of all his property yesterday. Liabilities $100 000 assets valued at $210,000.

Killed by Falling from a Car.

PITTSBURG Pa., Aug 19—A dispatch from Wilmer Pa says Hon Samuel Henry member of the legislature from Cambria county while going from one car to another on the Pittsburg express this evening fell and was instantly killed.

Break in Erie Canal.

SCHENECTADY, N Y, Aug 19—There is a bad break in the Erie canal 6 miles west, which will take several days to repair.

Grain Handling.

BUFFALO Aug 19—An elevators association was formed this morning. The charge is to be 1 cent per bushel including five days' storage seven eighths to grain and one eighth to vessel.

Dr Richards' Body Brought Home.

NEW YORK Aug 19—The body of Dr James Richards of Charlestown West Virginia, who was accidentally killed in the railroad station at Edinburgh Scotland has arrived here and will be taken to Auburn N Y for interment.

Damage to Erie Railroad Repaired.

The Erie Railroad Company announce that trains leaving this morning went over its own line passengers being transferred at the break near Susquehannah. The break is so far repaired that trains this afternoon will go through without transfer.

Confession of Murder by a Tramp.

NEW YORK Aug. 19—A young German John Williams willingly surrendered to the police of Newark saying that on the 9th of May with three other tramps he was concerned in the murder and robbing of an elderly German about 40 miles this side of Pittsburgh.

Legislator Killed on a Railway Train.

ALTOONA Pa. Aug 19—Samuel Henry member of the Pennsylvania Legislature from Cambria county was found dead on the railroad track near his own this morning. He is supposed to have fallen from a train.

Cut his Wife's Throat.

ST LOUIS Aug 19—A dispatch from McLeansboro says Mrs Thos M Oglesby living near [illegible], was found in her house last night with her throat cut from ear to ear and the razor which the deed was done with lying on the floor. Her husband a young man 25 years old formerly from [illegible] county Ind was arrested on suspicion of having committed the deed.

Latest Crop Reports.

CINCINNATI Aug 19—To-morrow's *Price Current* will contain what it claims is the fullest and most extensive weather and crop reports yet published, comprising about 500 special returns from as many counties in Ohio Indiana Illinois Iowa Missouri Michigan and Kentucky and with other states, relating chiefly to wheat, oats, corn and hogs. Of wheat the report indicates a full average acreage in Ohio and Indiana, the yield was short and large losses by rain and very inferior quality. In Illinois the crop is below the average largely bad in condition and inferior in quality. In Iowa the acreage is about as usual, generally harvested in good condition. Some damage by blight and other causes. Yield large in many places. The crop is not full average quality inferior. Missouri considerably damaged. Kentucky yield average but largely and badly damaged. Michigan fair crop. Wisconsin very good crop and condition. Oats great destruction and damage in Ohio Kentucky Indiana and Illinois and parts of Missouri while the average was increased, and Michigan, Wisconsin and Iowa show a larger production of corn and large increase of acreage very promising outside of parts of the Ohio valley and the crop maturing in the north and northwest will be much greater than usual.

WASHINGTON CITY

Naval Items

WASHINGTON, Aug 19—Commander Henry Erben has been detached from the command of the *Tuscarora* and ordered to proceed home and wait orders. Commander Juan Miller is detached from duty in the hydrographic office and ordered to the command of the *Tuscarora* at the navy yard, Mare Island California.

Escape of a Cuban Supply Ship.

CHICAGO Aug 19—A Washington special says the state department people are much chagrined at the escape of the *Virginius* with supplies for the Cubans. There has been the most perfect system of co-operation between the Spanish authorities here and Mr Fish in all endeavors to prevent anything in the way of substantial sympathy with the Cubans. The *Edgar Stewart* was the first privateer that has attempted to aid the Cubans. She was prevented by the careful spy system of the Spanish service in this country and the earnest efforts of our government as represented by Mr Fish. The Spanish people complain very much at the administration as represented by the president being so much in sympathy with the Cubans and openly claim that if Mr Fish had been in town when the first information came of the *Virginius*, her departure would never have been permitted. The state department is at present in charge of young Cadwallader and his management gives a great deal of dissatisfaction. There is no belief that the *Virginius* will be captured. The naval officer detailed in pursuit would not make any capital by too great zeal in the discharge of his duty.

The Tripoli Affair.

CHICAGO Aug 19—The navy department is making much out of the affair at Tripoli where reparation is to be demanded for an insulted consul. It is expected by this time every man woman and child in Tripoli has been ground into dust in being taught that no insignificant power can venture to insult the United States with impunity.

Suit in the Marine Corps Frauds.

WASHINGTON Aug 19—The suit has been entered by the district justice against Capt Maddox of the marine corps and the bondsmen of Messrs Barnum contractors for furnishing clothing to the marine corps to recover funds alleged as wrongfully paid said contractors.

Civil Rights.

Corie Fisher a colored school teacher has brought suit against the Pullman Palace Car Company claiming $10 000 for refusal to allow her to travel on a palace car from Cincinnati to Washington.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Panic in London Stock Market.

LONDON Aug 19—Foreign stocks are reported falling heavily. The market is dull—feeling the effects of the tumble yesterday in Turkish Egyptians and Peruvians.

Inquiry into the Loss of the Abbotsford.

LIVERPOOL, Aug 19—The board of trade begins its inquiry into the loss of the steamer *Abbotsford*.

Carlists Routed and Driven to the Mountains.

MADRID Aug 19—The royal brigade routed Dorregaray while the latter was trying to penetrate into Aragon and forced him to the mountains. Gen Jovellar holds all the passes at Balcazar and will prevent Dorregaray's escape in the direction of Lerida.

Attempt to Raise the Siege.

BOURG LA DAME Aug 19—The Carlist force operating near Belone to intercept supplies yesterday captured 12 wagons of provisions of the royal army. Gen Saballs arrived at Seo D Urgel. Other Carlists are approaching and an attempt will be made to raise the siege.

Stocks Anxious in London.

NEW YORK, Aug 19—A London special says a still further decline of one quarter per cent. is noted in consols and U. S. 6s of '81. Erie has fallen ¼. Central 14 U P 6 and C 1 6½ have fallen altogether. The market is in an anxious condition.

Bank of France.

PARIS Aug 19—Specie in the bank of France increased 6 0?3 000 francs during the past week.

Bank of England.

LONDON Aug 19—Bullion in the bank of England increased £138 000 the past week. The proportion of reserve to liabilities is 44⅛ per cent.

French Affairs.

VERSAILLES Aug 19—The Republican permanent committee to-day presented an interpellation to Buffet, minister of the interior concerning the Bonapartist demonstration newspaper articles and the prohibition of the sale of Gladstone's pamphlet. M Buffet defended the government and said vigorous measures will be taken against Bonapartist papers and said he had no request in regard to authorizing Gladstone's book but would not authorize. M Buffet further explained that Gladstone's publications had been allowed to be sold in the shop but not to be hawked about the streets.

Cardinal McCloskey in Paris.

PARIS Aug 19—Cardinal McCloskey received visits to-day from the Papal nuncio and the archbishop of Paris.

Catholic Congress at Poitiers.

The Catholic congress at Poitiers began its sessions to-day. The opening sermon was preached by the archbishop of New Orleans.

Prince Milan Appeals to the Great Powers.

PARIS Aug 19—A Vienna special says Prince Milan of Servia addressed a note to the powers who signed the treaty of Paris complaining that he has not been informed of their intentions as to the insurrection which threatens to assume proportions that may render suppression impossible.

Another Russian Fire.

ST PETERSBURG Aug 19—Three hundred houses were burned at Kreff to-day.

Austria's Intervention Refused by Turkey.

BERLIN Aug 19—It is said Austria offered under a guarantee to the north European empires to intervene for the pacification of Herzegovina on the basis of reform in the administration of the christian provinces of Turkey, but the Porte refused.

Shipping.

LIVERPOOL Aug 19—The steamer *Nevada* has arrived. She broke her piston when one thousand miles from Fastnett light.

Gen. Meiggs in Berlin.

BERLIN Aug 19—The war office has invited Gen Meiggs of the United States army to witness military manœuvers in Silesia next autumn.

WEST INDIES.

Civil War in Port au Prince.

NEW YORK Aug 19—A West India letter says the American Minister Mr Bassett in Port au Prince daily expects an outbreak among the Haytien people. He has Gen Carroll lodged in his house under the protection of the American flag and refuses to surrender him to the government. He has requested the U S government to send him a man of war for his protection. Mr Bassett's house is surrounded by a guard who daily insult him and his family. Carroll was one of the chief leaders of the outbreak recently against the president and has been condemned to death.

NEW BRUNSWICK

Failures.

ST JOHN N B Aug 19—J M Leavitt of Courtney Bay glass works and Allen Bro founders have made assignments.

OREGON STATE TEMPERANCE UNION

Friends of temperance take notice, that the Oregon State Temperance Union will hold its fourth annual session in the city of Salem on Tuesday the 21st of September, 1875 at 2 o'clock P M.

Article 2 of the constitution as amended at the last meeting, now reads: "The Union shall be composed of delegates from temperance societies churches and religious bodies which enjoin and enforce the duty of temperance upon their members as a rule of faith and practice provided that each organization represented shall furnish its delegates with proper credentials certified to by its chief officers."

Every organization coming under the purview of this article is entitled to a representation of one delegate to every twenty members in good standing in it and for the fraction of twenty when more than ten.

The Oregon and California Railroad Co the Oregon Steamship Co the Oregon Steam Navigation Co and the Willamette River Transportation Co have agreed to carry the delegates and members to and from the session at reduced rates. Delegates traveling on the line of the Oregon and California Railroad must not fail to present their credentials to the ticket agent at the station where they get on the cars who will sell them a special round trip ticket.

In view of this it would be well for all associations sending delegates to the Union to furnish individual credentials to each delegate and especially those who will come by the above thoroughfare.

The various newspapers of the State will confer a great favor upon the members of the Union by conveying this announcement.

W R. STEWART, President
ROBERT REID Secretary
SALEM, Aug 14, 1875

THE BLACK HILLS.

Prof. Jenney Reports Rich Discoveries.

The following letter was received at the Indian bureau this morning from Prof Jenney:

CAMP ON SPRING CREEK
BLACK HILLS DAKOTA July 31

Hon E P Smith—Sir: In my telegraphic dispatch dated July 12th I briefly informed you of my exploration in that section of the Black Hills north and northeast of Harney's Peak. In order to more rapidly explore the hills I have divided my party, Mr Newton geologist going south from French creek with the astronomer and photographer to map and explore the southern portion of the country as far as Cheyenne river, and I with the assistance of my miners have prospected the hills to the north a region hitherto unexplored and unknown. I found gold in placer deposits on both Spring and Rapid creeks from their head waters to the point where they emerge from the hills and more extended prospecting and exploration shows that in the valleys of these streams gravel bars and especially those of older formation and dating from a level of the streams contain gold in quantities sufficient to yield a fair remuneration for labor economically and skillfully applied assisted by the proper tools and mechanical appliances at least a moderate amount of capital or its equivalent and such a system of working as the experience of years have taught miners of the Pacific slope to employ. Fortunately there is an abundance of water in both of these streams with good fall and in most places a rapid current. Spring creek will yield from 800 to 1 000 miners' inches of water according to the season and Rapid creek at least twice that amount and while valuable placer deposits as far as discovered are by no means rich or very extensive compared with those of California, still there is enough precious metal to develop the country and stock raising and agriculture will do the rest. Among the foot hills along the eastern slope of the Black Hills are large gravel deposits in some places thirty feet thick often cemented by time into hard conglomerate and high hills of massive sandstone and red beds. Decomposition of this conglomerate in some places yields gold which it contained and which has been washed by heavy rains down dry gulches and caught and concentrated in dry gulches in the lower sandstone of red beds of secondary deposits affording only gravel[illegible] yet it is found in the hills and may be worked during spring while there is water flowing out of the hills in nearly every stream on tops in. But in summer scarcely a single stream carries its water in unbroken current to Cheyenne. They all except perhaps Rapid creek sink in their beds on reaching the foot hills. Should these conglomerates be found to contain gold in paying quantities it will require the employment of capital to work them successfully. Several enormous ledges of a mixture of slate ferruginous quartz and quartzite cross the valley of Spring and Rapid creeks extending for miles in a northwestern direction. Oxide of iron contained in the ledges has resulted from the decomposition of iron pyrites and specimens of quartz show occasionally visible particles of gold and gives on crushing and panning a trace of color of the much sought for metal. It is remarkable that so few valuable minerals have been found in the Hills though the country is overrun by miners, and everything in the shape of rock in any way peculiar in appearance is brought to me for identification but I have not yet seen any mineral containing lead copper or silver—only iron pyrites and iron ores resulting from its decomposition, *ring bolt* graphite black tourmaline rose quartz garnets and staurolite as mineralogical curiosities. In testing deposits on Spring creek I worked out a particularly rich spot where an old channel had been cut across by the present bed of the creek and in ten hours work with a small sluice obtained five-sixths of an ounce of gold or about $15 50. Soldiers had previously panned out of the same place not less than two ounces of course gold and on measuring the amount I found the total yield at the rate of $1 per cubic yard or about three cents to the pan as an average for the whole thickness of the deposit. It was truly said of the region that there was gold in the very roots of the grass but it is not the gold of gravel bars or quartz ledges not the gold of the miner or the geologist but the future solid wealth of the Black Hills that is to be sought in the luxuriant growth of fine grasses that everywhere spread over this beautiful country. Of the climate of the Black Hills the severity of the winters danger of crops being injured by droughts and the agricultural products best suited to the soil I can only judge by examining the flora of the region along the eastern slope where the elevation is from 3 500 to 4,500 feet above the sea. The valleys are filled with a fair growth of burr oak white birch aspen and hazel. The conspicuous plants are tiger lily poison ivy and Virginia creeper grape vines wild flax hops and oats while raspberries black and red choke cherries goose berries plums strawberries and service berries are quite abundant from which I assume that the climate is not severer than that of Maine and New Hampshire where many of the same plants grow and ripen and that while the season is not long or hot enough for corn yet wheat oats barley flax hops and potatoes would grow there luxuriantly. The rainfall is quite remarkable. Scarcely a day passes without a shower though perhaps lasting but a few minutes. Heavy rains of long duration only occasionally occur but thunder storms are very prevalent and numerous trees may be seen all over the hills showing marks of lightning. The elevation above the sea makes the climate cool and healthy while heavy dews and frequent showers of rain keep the country carpeted with a luxuriant growth of grass always green.

WALTER P JENNEY
Geological Explorer of the Black Hills

OREGON

School commences at the Oregon City Seminary next Monday.

On Monday Mr Helm well known among San Francisco manufacturers became superintendent of the Oregon City Woolen Mills.

The *Statesman* says the harvesting of fall grain on French prairie is about through with. The average yield so far, in that section is about 35 bushels to the acre. Mr Milton Young living near Belpassi got an average of 40 bushels. Farmers in that vicinity are jubilant over the good crops and prospective good prices.

Last Wednesday morning about 9 o'clock a colored man named James Rogers entered the store of Wagner & Hovey at Salem and bought a jack knife on tick. He remained in the store and presently a lady came in who wished to be weighed. While Mr Wagner was attending to this matter in another part of the store Mr Hovey came in and discovered Rogers in the act of robbing the money drawer. He was arrested.

Two young men living near Dallas were arrested last Wednesday morning for stealing last Friday night 13 sacks of wheat from the wheat field of Mr Charles Fisher who lives about three and a half miles north of Dallas. The young men brought the wheat to Salem on Saturday and disposed of it for coin and started out for a high diddy time in the morning. But they were found out and will now have to answer for the theft.

A new school house has recently been erected on Howell prairie and the rising generation of that vicinity will soon be pursuing their studies and whisperings in the new building which will rank as one of the finest schoolhouses in Marion county. The dimensions of the building are 26x36 and it will provide ample accommodations for all the children in the vicinity. New seats have been ordered from San Francisco which will cost about $300.

The Oregon City *Enterprise* says: Last Tuesday, while Master Eddie Caufield was driving a hack belonging to Mr N W Randall across the bridge on Ely's Hill the cars came unexpectedly up and frightened the horse to such an extent that he backed off down the bank at the south end of the bridge killing him almost instantly, smashing the hack and burying young Caufield in the debris. The boy was almost immediately rescued and found to be unhurt.

SIGNS OF PROSPERITY

Where *spades* grow bright and idle *swords* grow dull
Where *jails* are empty and where *barns* are full
Where *church* paths are with frequent feet outworn
Law court yards weedy, silent and forlorn
Where *doctors* foot it and where *farmers* ride
Where *age* abounds and *youth* is multiplied
Where these signs are they clearly indicate
A happy people and well governed State
—*Fonville Chron*

The Snohomish County Agricultural Society has taken title to the 40 acre tract near Snohomish City offered by Mrs Sinclair paying about one half down and the balance to be paid prior to Nov 1 1875. Work will be commenced this week preparing the grounds for holding the county fair thereon this fall.

Four vessels are now at Port Blakely to wit the ships *Samuel Reddford* and *Lucas Cambridge O L B H* and *Nic Biddle*. The *Success* towed out the schooner *Annie Lyle* on Sunday morning. The *Nic Biddle* is being sheathed anew.

The new hoisting works at the Golden Chariot mine, Idaho, is run by an engine of 180 horse power.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 19—Ophir 68 Mexican 25¼ Gould & Curry 22¼ B & B 55¼ Savage 18 Chollar 10¼ H & N 62 Point 12 Belcher 91¼ Imperial 12¾ Empire Mill 7¼ G H Quartz 4 Kentuck 16⅝ Alpha 24½ Belcher 28 Confidence 27¼ Con Va 319½ S Nev 15½ California 65 Bullion 64 Seg Belcher 90 Overman 74 Exchequer 200 Justice 53 Succor 1¼ Union 104 Buckeye 7½ Lady Bryan 2⅞ Julia 31½ Caledonia 9 Knickerbocker 5 Globe 2 Baltimore 5 Utah 14¼ S Hill 12¼ Trench 7 Challenge 7¼ Dayton 6½ K Island 1⅛ Dardanelles 3.

EVENING BOARD—Valley 6 R & E 4¼ Ruby Con 8¼ Jackson 12 Alps 50 Am Flag 2 Eve Latch 1¼ K K Con 3 Prussian 1 Leopard 16¼ Jefferson 43 Gila 4¼ Tanther 1½ Geneva 2¼ Mahogany 2 Empire Idaho 75c Poorman 3 Hussey 1 Manhattan 8ac G Chariot 1¼ Hill Central 4½ Pauper 2 So Mountain 1 Lady Washington 2¼ Kossuth 2¼ O G Hill 2 Leo 1¼ Andes 4 Modes 3 Europe 2 Wells Fargo 60 North Carson 40 Cosmopolitan 40c Leviathan 1½ Prospect 5 Maryland 75c Morning Star 34 Monument 60c G & C 23¼ Ophir 68¼.

Greenbacks 88 buying 88¼ selling.

Repairs to the City of Peking.

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 19—Reports in the morning papers as to the condition of the Pacific Mail steamer *City of Peking* and the expense of repairing her vary greatly. Surveyor of the Bureau Veritas in an interview to-day stated that the survey is so far completed that experts had concluded what was necessary to be done. Three box stringers will be placed on each side from stem to stern, two iron decks two bulkheads to be carried up to the main deck and all defective rivets made good. These repairs will render the ship stronger than when launched. No estimates have been made but it is expected the work will cost about $125 000. The weakness hitherto displayed by the ship is attributed entirely to bad stowage, and consequent strain ing on the passage from New York. The ship will probably be docked next week.

A New Morning Paper.

SAN FRANCISCO Aug. 19—A new morning paper *The Ledger*, will appear on Saturday morning. It will be published at the office of the *Daily Post* and probably be a sort of morning edition of that paper.

Smallpox

Smallpox has made its appearance in the western addition. A number of cases are reported on Polk street.

A Stock-Board Caller

Howard Coit resumed his duties as caller in the San Francisco board this morning. A bonus of $2 000 was voted Harry Logan who has acted in his absence.

Political.

SAN DIEGO, Aug 19—There was a large and enthusiastic railroad meeting here last evening. Speeches were made by Democrats and Republicans all denouncing Wigginton and supporting Houghton and the Texas Pacific railroad project. Huntington telegraphs from Los Angeles that his engineers will make a reconnoisance from here to Yuma immediately. It was stated that Huntington, while here, spoke of the Democratic candidate for congress in this district (Wigginton) as their man.

UTAH.

Movements of Sheridan and Belknap.

SALT LAKE Aug 19—Secretary Belknap and party left Helena Montana on the 17th inst for Carroll and Bismarck. Gen Sheridan arrived here this evening.

ARIZONA.

The Bonanza Found

FLORENCE, Aug 19—There is great excitement in the Pinal mines. A vein of pure silver six inches square has been struck in the Athenian mine from which three men have taken twenty thousand dollars in the past two days. Fifty persons have examined this new silver discovery and pronounce it the richest ever found in America. It casts Silver King in the shade.

BY STATE TELEGRAPH.

Organization of a Masonic Lodge at Ashland.

ASHLAND Orgn Aug 19—Ashland Lodge No 23 A F & A M was organized here to-day, by L G Reames D G M and the following officers installed: H C Hill W M, J R N Bell S W, P Dunn J W, J Wagner Treasurer, W H Atkinson Secretary, J H Skidmore S D, Conrad Sargent J D, A S Jacobs Tiler.

THE WALLAMET RIVER

DAM THE WATER!—THE SOLILOQUY OF AN AGONIZED SOUL

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

I wish to animadvert for a brief space on the stupidity and lack of judgment which has so far characterized the action of government officials concerning the improvement of the upper Wallamet river. The appropriation of $20 000 is likely to lapse from inaction. The owners of the light draught boats have concluded to suspend attempts to penetrate further than Salem and the boats deplorable condition on their return from a trip to Albany justifies that conclusion—wheels wrecked and hulls badly damaged. In the meantime Red Tape blandly snoozes in office and valuable time which now and for the past six weeks should have been utilized in the improvement of the river is wasted. It is reported that a government survey is making of some of the bars but *surveys are not what are necessary*. A well ordained jackass can see where *work* is wanted, without the necessity of triangulations and a government official ought to be equally as penetrating and encompass the observation without using a compass. For the present state of affairs natural indignation gives way to propriety and a good vigorous cussing ought to be administered instead of prayers for those in authority over us who are guilty of the folly and stupidity that has so far impeded the work. I call on you to "make Rome howl" or else know whose interest it is to do nothing. Is it consideration for the railroad? Is it political policy or is it only red tape? Steamboat men grow livid swearing at the condition of affairs and the interest the government should feel in the morals of the people ought to induce it to progress with this work *now* when it is so much needed. Excuses are not justifiable. The work should have been commenced six weeks ago and still the government official reposes. Would that we had Gabriel's horn and standing one foot on Rock's rapids and the other on Bightman's band could call in such stentorian notes as would even awaken Red Tape himself. Dam the water! Like the Irishman who was six weeks speechless in the long month of June my sole cry is water! water!

To those whom this *ought* to concern but whom it doubtless only *may* concern I subscribe myself

YOURS TRULY

Last Monday I B Whittlesey the telegraph operator at Tacoma broke his arm. He was down on the beach between the two towns at a fishing station when he fell and so hurt himself. Two years ago Mr Whittlesey was at work on the railroad bridge over the Nisqually river when he met with a similar mishap since which he has been incapacitated for hard work and has been operator of the wires for the railroad and telegraph companies.

The drawing of the Central Seattle homestead lots took place last Monday. The whole number—480 of them—had been taken, and all were drawn and assigned as in the agreement. A large number of persons witnessed the drawing. Those concerned in it were entirely persons residing on the Sound at Seattle and above and below. The 480 lots represented as many fifty dollar investments, or $24 000 in the aggregate.

THE MASONIC EXCURSION.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE OREGONIAN.]

THE DAY OF CLAM EATING

OLYMPIA August 18

The picnic that followed the literary exercises of yesterday (Tuesday) deserves more than the passing notice I had then time to give to it and ought not to be overshadowed by the great gastronomic event of the week—the Olympic clam bake. In their homes or on their beach or under the shadows of their groves the good people of Olympia have treated their Oregon visitors with boundless hospitality. The viands that were brought to the picnic would have graced any table, and have given appetising pleasure to the most dyspeptic. A more delightful feast *al fresco* could not well be devised. There was no room for dissatisfaction. The banquets that were spread were free as the grove itself to all who came within its grateful shade. "Would you be kind enough sir" said a visitor to a Knight of St John, "to tell me where I can buy something to eat?" "I cannot," was the answer, "we sell nothing here." "But I am no Mason." "No matter we are all brothers to-day—make yourself at home help yourself without money and without price eat drink and be merry." "Sir you are too kind" responded the visitor "but I have a wife." "So much the better" came the still hospitable answer, "bring her along and your children, too, if you have any." This conversation is perhaps commonplace but as it occurred in almost these words, it ought to be put in evidence to show the kindly way in which Olympia is treating others than its strictly Masonic visitors. The scene of the reunion ceremonies of yesterday will be as a hallowed shrine to the Masonic body on this coast for all time.

The ball that took place at the town hall in the evening was very successful. The attendance was large and the arrangements complete. Supper was served all the evening in the rooms below the hall. The ladies were gaily dressed and pretty, one indeed, would not know Olympia if he could express an opinion to the contrary. The music too was excellent, and those who provided it, were kept busy until an early hour.

The day of the clam bake dawned pretty much as all the other days do here at this smoky season—in a dull, lingering way, the night hanging among the pine tops, and hiding itself like a thief among the forest trees, instead of moving onward to perform its functions to the rest of the sphere. Our horizon is restricted. The outstretching grandeur of Puget Sound is shrouded in gray smoke, the magnificent Olympic range is invisible by field glass as well as to the naked eye. We can take in at a glance the stretch of water on either side of the lower part of the city, but the Deschutes river may have ceased to form a part of the physical geography of the territory so far as appearances go. The trees on the opposite bank look like sheeted ghosts in the vapory clouds that envelop them, and the steamer *North Pacific* lying in wait for us at the end of the wharf looms up through the heavy air like a gigantic iron clad. Still, although those of us who are making their first visit here must believe by faith what they see not the weather is by no means unpleasant. It is warm as in June and almost as balmy. The steamer *Zephyr* starts out for the scene of the clam bake at 8 A M and makes successive trips while the tide permits. The tide is full as she makes her first voyage but her voyagers are not numerous. Only infatuated clam eaters can dance through the night and rise thus early. The steamer lands us on the west side of the Sound, about two miles above the city. A few Portlanders rush over the gang plank, subsidise the stock in trade of a siwash and the clam eating has commenced on their part while the vibrations of the *Zephyr's* stop bell are yet in the air. Climbing from the beach to the roadway we find a number of men in front of a camp fire, busy at work cleaning and paring potatoes by the bushel. At one side are rows of buckets, filled with shelled clams, and there are other indications that a great feast is being prepared. In charge of the shell fish part of the cooking is Uncle Benny the clam king of the Sound. In the making of clam chowder and in superintending a clam bake Uncle Benny reigns supreme. He has gone into the logging business of late at a point somewhere up the Sound but Olympia had need of his unrivaled skill in this emergency, and Uncle Benny saw the necessity and was ready at command. With his presence the success of the clam-cooking was assured. When first seen this morning however he might have been taken for a road contractor. He was busily engaged laying boulders down with as much regularity as if he were laying Nicolson pavement. Before he finished this work he had indeed laid down what looked like a portion of a permanent highway. It was the clam bed. A fire was to be kept burning on the bed until the stones were thoroughly heated. The ashes were then to be swept off and on the heated stones twenty four bushels of clams were to be laid when the pile was to be covered over with matting and the clams were not to be disturbed until, in the opinion of Uncle Benny, they were thoroughly baked. Twenty four bushels seemed a goodly quantity, and Uncle Benny was of opinion there would be enough and to spare.

The clam bake feast was to be at noon. Long before then several hundreds of persons were on the ground. The majority came by the *Zephyr*, but many drove over by the road and others came in small boats. Amongst those who preferred the last mentioned mode of conveyance were five young ladies of Olympia who were dressed in aquatic style and pulled steadily across one of them steering. They raised their oars like men of war's men as the prow of their trim little craft touched the beach. And then the hands that handled the sculls so vigorously against the receding tide were put out with a dainty grace when some young men present went forward to conduct the young water women over the shore. Two squaws envious of the attention that was attracted toward their white sisters dropped into a canoe and paddled their way townwards at a fine speed but they were almost unnoticed and when they returned there was no man's hand proffered to help them over the stony beach. On a level piece of ground some distance above the camp fire a platform had been constructed and here dancing was conducted to the delight of not a few old, as well as a few young persons. The grounds here being admirably suited for picnic parties all those who had not come prepared to live on clams alone soon had their friends around them, and time passed pleasantly until 3 o'clock when dinner was served for all. The 12 o'clock clam bake was to be regarded as a simple lunch. Noon came and Uncle Benny was prompt. The coverings were removed one by one until the baked and steaming mass of roadway was ready for consumption. The rush for baked clams was something to compare with which the long experience of Uncle Benny himself can furnish no equal. There were twenty four bushels on the stones as the covers were removed and Uncle Benny exposed his treasures with the delight of a magician over a clever trick. Ten minutes afterwards there was not a baked clam to be seen and even a portion of the stone bed seemed to have disappeared. All who participated in the clam feast declared it delightful. It was the first time many of those present had ever eaten clams. Thackeray declared when for the first time he swallowed one of the great oysters that are found on the Atlantic coast that he felt as if he had devoured a baby. There are not a few men who shared in the clam bake of to-day but would confess to the same experience. The demand for the delicacy was so enormous that Uncle Benny had to clean the road bed and prepare a fresh feast. Some specimens of the species of clam to whose dimensions Capt Ainsworth alluded so humorously yesterday were strung up by the neck on exhibition. And indeed they were monsters. Of a variety there was one on which a small family need not have been ashamed to dine. In girth—well it was not quite so large as an ox, but it was immense enough to justify this term—in girth it measured not far short of twenty-four inches and its neck was long enough to require measurement by the yard stick.

At 3 o'clock the banquet was ready and was served on a series of long tables that had been constructed in an orchard a short distance from the beach. To say that the tables groaned under the good things they bore is to employ a hackneyed but a true phrase. The good people of Olympia literally gave up their basket and store to make the banquet a success and when it is said that they provided bounteously for at least five hundred persons some idea may be formed of their hospitality. The clam chowder was a treat. Uncle Benny outdid himself in its preparation. He sat behind the great vessel in which it had been simmering since morning and dealt out the delicious mixture with a smile of satisfaction on his face that grew more and more pronounced as he dipped the ladle deeper into the prime mess before him. There was chowder for everybody. It was the first dish served. So soon as word was sent in that the chowder king was ready, Rev Bro Utter said grace and the feast was begun. A semicircular table at one end of the orchard was reserved for the Masonic dignitaries and their ladies. At this table were representatives from four Grand Lodges so that this banquet under these Puget Sound apple trees represented the most notable reunion of the week. The jurisdictions represented were, of course the two most interested—Oregon and Washington—and Idaho and British Columbia. The steamer *Favorite* brought over the Columbia delegation this morning and the wife of the Past Grand Master of Idaho was very gallantly allowed to represent that jurisdiction at the chief table. After dinner Grand Master Hayden W T introduced Deputy Grand Master Williams B C who was received with much cheering. Mr Williams announced that the Masonic fraternity over the water were prepared to give a British and a Masonic welcome to their American visitors on the morrow. Grand Master Congle, Oregon, returned the thanks of the fraternity of that State for the great things that had been done for them in Olympia and concluded by proposing three cheers in honor of the brethren of the territory and the ladies of Olympia. Rev Mr Fischer then read a humorous poem in commemoration of the clam-bake. The poet who had been the victim of inspiration while sitting under an apple tree, drew an amusing picture of the misfortune of the inhabitants of the vale of Cashmere in being denied the luxury of the Puget Sound clam. There were cries of "author" as Mr Fischer finished the reading but the author being a journalist, was modest, and did not come before the curtain.

Hon J W Nesmith followed with an able speech. He paid a graceful tribute to the Grand Lodge of the Territory and the citizens of Olympia, for the handsome manner in which they had entertained their visitors. He had been delighted at the reception that had been accorded to him personally, but his visit was not without sad recollections. On the other occasions on which he had been on the Sound he had met the early pioneers—men who, like himself, had been among the first American settlers on the coast—the men who first organized their government and started the Territory. He alluded mainly to Stevens and Mason, and last but not least, their recently departed friend and brother, McFadden—noble men, all of them, who had gone hence. He knew them all. Stevens, their first American settler, who laid down his life for his country at Chantilly. Mason, their first secretary and McFadden their last delegate. It was less than half a year since he sat with McFadden in the House of Representatives. There never was a truer or more honest man sent up to that body. He was indefatigably devoted to the interests of the Territory, whose citizens ought ever to cherish his memory. There were a few among the living whom he recognized. There was one with whom he served in repelling Indian attacks upon the frontier. He alluded to that gallant officer and good Mason, Brother Haller and he desired to return him for the citizens of Oregon their best thanks for the services he rendered that state, as well as Washington Territory, in the Yakima war. The honorable gentleman concluded by playful allusions to certain curious gifts that had been presented to him, namely: A giant staff, not unworthy of a place alongside the Butler spoon in the Portland museum, a ladle made for the occasion out of a twig and a scallop and what he called a magnificent vase, which was simply the former abiding place of one of the monster crabs before alluded to. The speaker passed from grave to gay in his happiest manner.

Major Haller, who said he never knew before that he was a hero, next spoke.

Capt J C Ainsworth was then called upon. He gave another version of the hog, the crow and the clam story—old Æsop could not have told it better—and afterward bore testimony to the magnificence of the reception and the bounteousness of the hospitality with which the visitors from Oregon had been received. If the citizens of British Columbia were at all equal to the delegation they had sent over (a voice: "They are all that!") the visitors from Washington Territory and Oregon who would start to that province this evening, would have a grand time over there.

Three cheers were then given on the proposition of Grand Master Congle, in honor of the lady who was the representative by proxy of the Grand Lodge of Idaho.

P G M Chadwick afterward paid a delightful tribute to the ladies of Olympia for the part they had taken in the festivities of the week.

Other speeches followed, cheers were given for one and all not forgetting the clam king, and at a late hour in the afternoon the great crowd passed over to Olympia.

The day of clam eating was at an end.

The festivities of to-day bring to a close the welcome of Washington to her mother Grand Lodge. The welcome has been so true and magnificent that the mother lodge can never cease to regard it as a sacred memory. It has meant more than has been apparent to an outsider.

We leave to-night on the *North Pacific* for Victoria. In bidding good by to Olympia words of credit ought to be recorded to those ladies and gentlemen who have been conspicuous in promoting the festivities of the week. But in doing this, one would have to mention almost every householder. Grand Master Hayden Major Haller and Mr O'Brien, however, did such yeoman service in helping the city to entertain its guests that it will not be invidious to thus single out their names.

THE TERRITORIES

O W Weaver, of Seattle as we learn from the *Tribune* has been adjudged insane.

LaConner will soon be able to afford wharf accommodations second to none on the Sound excepting Seattle of course.

The barkentine *Ella* on her last trip down from Port Madison, took 1 100 000 laths. She took besides, 100,000 feet of lumber.

The Rev P H Dunning from Canoga, N Y has just reached Seattle to take charge of the Presbyterian church at that place.

The splendid hay weather of the past month has been well improved by the Snohomish ranchers. The crop is nearly one third larger than usual excellent in quality, and nearly all harvested. None injured by rain.

About 4 000 salmon were taken in the seine of the Puget Sound Salmon Co at Mukilteo, only half of which however were got ashore. These fish averaged over six pounds each, making in the aggregate over twelve tons of salmon in the seine.

A letter from Snohomish to the Seattle *Intelligencer* says: Harvest is now in full blast and the fields are swarming with men and machinery. The close of every day witnesses the fall of many scores of acres of the finest grain ever risen on this coast or any other coast. In a few weeks this same grain will be spinning through the thresher thence into sacks and in a very short time thousands of sacks of oats will be on their way to Frisco where since their reputation was established last winter Swinomish oats will command a higher price than any other sent to that market.

TO THE INDEPENDENTS OF OREGON.

[From the Evening Journal.]

The very unpleasant situation in which I have been placed before the people by the duplicity of pretended friends and the corruption of political circles demands of me an explanation, which I now proceed to submit, together with the facts which led to that situation.

On Tuesday evening, at a late hour, while at my home I was informed by a messenger that my presence was required in the city immediately. When I arrived in town I was asked by a Republican friend these questions:

First—Has any person ever spoken to you in reference to becoming a candidate for congress? I answered No.

Second—Have you conferred with any person in reference to this matter? I replied No. I have not thought of such a thing.

I was then informed that the two conventions in Salem the Independent and the Republican, were making efforts to concentrate upon one man, and I was asked in the event they should select me whether I would accept. After partially recovering from the surprise, and with such deliberation as the time would permit, I answered affirmatively. He then showed me a telegram in which the question was asked by an Independent in Salem, "Will Whitney accept the nomination of the Independent party?" I authorized him to reply affirmatively. It was too late to send the answer through that night. I went on Wednesday morning in search of machinery to harvest my grain and as I approached my house, on my return a little before train-time, I was hailed by a party who informed me that a telegram had reached the office requesting me to be at the depot when the train arrived. I was at the depot in time. Two parties immediately laid hold of me in a familiar and friendly manner rushing me into the car, and gave me to understand that they had been sent by the Republican convention, and saying, in substance, "your name was brought forward first by your Republican friends. We claim you as our man, the Republican convention is waiting action until it hears from us. If you will say that you will not accept the Independent nomination and will accept from the Republican you can be nominated by that body in five minutes after the telegram reaches the convention." I said I would do no such thing. The proposition was then modified in this form: That I should agree to accept both nominations or neither. I replied that I would not turn my hand to secure the Republican nomination, that I had agreed the evening before to accept both, and had promised to accept the Independent nomination and would not go back on my word. The cars passed on, taking one and leaving the other Republican deputy still insisting for an answer to send back which would be satisfactory to the convention. I finally consented to give him a simple statement of facts pending the preparing of which the following telegrams were received and answered:

SALEM August 11, 1875.
J J WALTON Eugene: A story in circulation, Whitney will not accept. Telegraph me the truth.
W LAIR HILL.

EUGENE CITY August 11, 1875.
To W LAIR HILL: Whitney will accept. I have talked with him.
J. J. WALTON, Jr.

Not being satisfied with this, Mr H. Y. Thompson telegraphed to J J Walton for something over my signature, to which I replied as follows:

EUGENE, August 11 1875
To H. Y. THOMPSON: I accept the nomination.
G M WHITNEY.

After sending these dispatches to my friends I stated the matter as follows: I was asked last night, at a late hour, if the Independents and Republicans should light upon me as a candidate for Congress, whether I would accept. I answered affirmatively, but did not then expect to be called upon to accept the nomination of one without the co-operation of the other. The *deputy* wrote, modified and interlined and rewrote, and I subscribed my name to the following, with the understanding that it was a private dispatch to a friend, and was not to be used to my injury:

EUGENE August 11, 1875.
HON JASON OWEN: I was asked by telegraph last night, with the understanding that if the Independents and the Republicans should agree on me for Congressman if I would accept. I answered affirmatively but did not expect to accept the nomination of one without the co-operation of the other. My understanding is that my name was first mentioned by Republicans. I deprecate the strife of three candidates before the people and if nominated by Republicans shall accept both nominations.
G M WHITNEY.

Immediately after signing this telegram I went to my saw mill, 10 miles distant, where I heard nothing more of what was going on until late Thursday evening, when I learned for the first time the question of my declining, the Independent nomination that had been raised. I could not understand how my *friends* with the repeated and unqualified acceptance over my own signature, and nothing from me to them indicating any other purpose, could have been seen so precipitate as to jump at an ungenerous inference, or so indiscreet as to reach the conclusion implied in the rumor which had then reached me. I left my business at once to correct this impression, but found myself confronted everywhere by this question: Have you concluded to run? implying it had been a question in my mind, when the fact was I had reached a definite conclusion on Tuesday evening before, and had not from that uttered or authorized one word or act to any member of the Independent party to raise such a question. I accepted the Independent nomination in good faith, and will make the canvass, unless I shall be required to draw off by an authority equal to that which put me in nomination.

G M WHITNEY.

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The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 20, 1875.

DID THEY ENDORSE THE FORCE BILL?

A gentleman whose opinions we value finds fault with our criticism of the resolution of the Republican convention endorsing the President. The objection he makes is not that our view of the action of the President on the Force Bill is unjust, but that the resolution endorsing the "Administration" does not necessarily imply an endorsement of those acts of the President which form no part of the administration of the laws. The point might be considered well taken if the question were one of strict technical construction, but that is not the way the resolutions of political parties are construed. The people understand a resolution endorsing the Administration, to be an expression of approval of the course of the President, generally, and they do not make any of the hair-splitting distinctions and refinements that pertain to the law courts. The mass of citizens are not lawyers, and ought not be entrapped into false positions with the sleight of ambiguous words. They will take plain English in its plain, common signification; and, so taking it, they will not be likely to see a distinction in the construction of the Republican platform leaving out of the endorsement the scandalous conduct of the President in connection with the odious measure referred to. The plain, unvarnished truth is, that the Republican Convention was so far controlled by one or two Federal officers who hold their positions at the hands of the President, as to allow themselves to be bamboozled into the passage of a resolution the sentiment of which is not entertained by one in twenty of the Republicans of the State. We venture to say Mr. Warren, the candidate of the Republican Convention does not endorse the Force Bill. No good Republican does. It was the device of a corrupt and selfish ring to hold control of the government in spite of the people and at the peril of the liberties of the people, and the man calling himself a Republican who endorses it, is sailing under false colors. All the leading Republican papers of the United States have denounced it as a crime, unless those at Washington City which are supported by Federal patronage, are to be called leading papers. Mr. Grant has not the confidence of the Republican people of the *United States*, and nothing that he has done or omitted, except, perhaps, his civil service failure, has contributed more to lose him their confidence than the unseemly interest he took in the Force Bill and in the men who labored for its passage. The Republicans, we apprehend, will vote for Warren pretty nearly to a man, but if the Force Bill which his platform by implication endorses, were read to them and they were asked if they endorsed it, the voice against it in the party would be almost as nearly unanimous as the party vote for Warren. If the Force Bill had not already received its quietus not again to appear in Congress, and if it were supposed Warren's election would help to enact it into a law, the nomination of the Republican convention would be of little avail to give him the votes of the party. But the convention at Salem endorsed it by endorsing the administration.

TURNER AT HIS OLD TRICKS.

Ordinarily we should pay no attention to anything that might be said by the *Temperance Star*, reflecting upon us personally. That paper has so limited a circulation that its utterances amount to little more in the way of publicity than the idle gossip of a lounger on the street corners. For this once, however, we propose to notice that paper.

The *Temperance Star* has standing at the head of its editorial columns the announcement that Mrs. L. F. Turner is its editor; but its leading editorial of this week, we cannot believe was written by any woman, and we know it was not written by any lady. The article in question is devoted to an exposition of "the perfidy of the OREGONIAN editor," and smacks too strong of the malice which Mr. Enoch Turner has felt toward us ever since we proved him a deliberate falsifier somewhat over a year ago, to have been penned by anybody else. The exposure we gave him then made it necessary to haul down his name as editor to save what little circulation the paper had. But to the subject in hand.

The "perfidy" at which the *Star* affects so much virtuous indignation, consists of the alleged betrayal of the Independents by the editor of the OREGONIAN, and that sheet regrets exceedingly the necessity of relating the horrible facts, and would not do so except that a sense of its duty to serve the public forces the unpleasant task upon it. Fudge! all knaves say that.

1. The *Star's* first alleged fact is that "some weeks before the Independent Convention, gentlemen high up in the Republican party, made propositions to gentlemen at the head of the OREGONIAN, looking to securing its support to the Republican party, with pledges about a United States Senatorship. That is statement No. 1, and falsehood No. 1. No such propositions were ever made or intimated, and no negotiations or interviews touching the securing of the support of the OREGONIAN for the Republican party ever took place.

2. That the editor of the OREGONIAN voted *seventeen* votes in the convention. Statement No. 2 and falsehood No. 2. The records show the statement untrue.

3. "Mr. Tilmon Ford wrote the platform of the party. After it was submitted to the convention and adopted by the convention, Hill & Co. saw fit to materially change it before publication." Statement No. 3 and falsehood No. 3. Mr. Tilmon Ford did not write the platform. It was written by another gentleman, and in the presence of half a dozen or more, of whom Mr. Ford was one. It was published exactly as adopted, as the records [illegible] the convention will show. The *Star* is [illegible] not to mention the particulars [illegible] is claimed to have been [illegible] ions were made [illegible] the Independent Convention at a caucus during the convention, that were dishonorable and extremely distasteful to the delegation that were trying to represent their constituency, which brought upon the head of Mr. Hill a scathing rebuke from Mr. Binger Herman, who pointedly accused the delegation from this county of trying to break up the Independent party." Statement No. 4, and falsehood No. 4. What dishonorable propositions may have been made to "persons prominent," &c., we know not. The crowd with whom the *Star* man generally consorts were on hand in force as delegates to the Republican Convention, and we should not think strange if they made dishonorable propositions to Independents. But as to that rebuke from Binger Herman, nothing could be further from the truth. We consulted Mr. Herman in every single step we took in or about that convention, for we believed him a true and discreet man, and he did not disagree with us on a single point. It is worthy of remark that the *Star* carefully avoids any specification of particulars under this charge, showing that the writer knew he was telling an untruth, and was afraid of being cornered.

5. The 5th statement is the 5th falsehood, and it is too absurd to be noticed except for the purpose of keeping the *Star's* falsehoods in their regular order. It is that "Mr. Hill" sent Underwood and Mallory to Eugene to bamboozle Whitney into taking the foolish course he pursued. "Mr. Hill" had about as much to do with the dirty work of Mallory and Underwood as he has with the motions of the planets. He has always left such dirty jobs to be planned as well as performed by such dirty creatures. Their conduct in this matter deserves and will receive the execration of honest men of all parties. It can, we believe, be truthfully said, and we are proud that it can, that no member of the Independent Convention had any knowledge of their intention to go to see Whitney.

6. "Mr. Hill threw his full *seventeen votes* for Mr. Whitney and then within an hour after refused to sign, with others, a telegram to Whitney assuring him of the support of the OREGONIAN." Statement 6 and falsehood 6: "Mr. Hill" did not "throw" seventeen votes in that convention, and those he did "throw," except in the case when he was instructed otherwise, he "threw" for Mr. Starkweather. And as to signing a dispatch assuring Whitney of the support of the OREGONIAN, no such thing was asked or mentioned within an hour, or within 24 hours, or until after the publication of the dispatch from Whitney to Jason Owens, declining the Independent nomination. *The next day after that dispatch*, we did decline to sign such a telegram, saying we should never support Whitney unless he could give some satisfactory explanation of his conduct, and we did not propose to commit the OREGONIAN to him, under the circumstances in which he had placed himself, without first consulting the proprietors of the paper.

7. "Mr. Whitney has told the OREGONIAN editor that he never signed nor authorized the dispatch [the dispatch to Jason Owens] to be sent." Statement No. 7 and falsehood No. 7. Mr. Whitney has told the editor of the OREGONIAN, in presence of several other gentlemen, that he *did* sign that dispatch, and *did* authorize it to be sent. He also told the public the same thing in a statement over his signature, which we publish this morning.

8. "Mr. Hill, on Thursday evening last [Thursday after the convention], told Binger Herman, that if Mr. Whitney intended to run for Congressman, he would support him." Mr. Hill did not see Binger Herman on that Thursday evening, nor at any time since; has not had a line from him, nor written a line to him.

This is the whole series of allegations in the *Star's* expose, and *every single one is a falsehood*. The *Star* will not dare attempt to prove one of its assertions.

The *Star* tails out its string of unmitigated falsehoods, with a lamentation about the OREGONIAN'S having left the Independent party without an organ. The OREGONIAN never promised to be the organ of the Independent party. On the contrary, it has invariably declared its purpose to remain as independent of the Independents as of the Democrats and Republicans, and unequivocally refused to place itself in the position of an organ for any party. The OREGONIAN has not been jesting about this matter. The organ business does not suit us. We acknowledge no thick-and-thin allegiance to any party, to the Independent no more than any other. Whoever wants an independent, fearless newspaper can be accommodated from the OREGONIAN office; but if it is a party organ that is desired, we must repeat—though it ought not to need repeating—that we shall not satisfy the demand.

Enoch Turner wonders "if Mr. Hill is willing to stand by the record he made at Salem." Mr. Hill is willing to do just exactly that thing. He does not make records he is not willing to stand by. He authorizes every man, woman or child who has ever seen an act or heard a word of his connected with the conventions at Salem to tell all they know, and if their disclosures damage him he will not complain.

Hon. W. J. Shaw, of San Francisco, has published a pamphlet in which he calls for, and argues the necessity of, a convention to remodel the constitution. One of the chief points of Mr. Shaw's attack on the present order of things, is the jury system, which, he seems to think, should be, not reformed, but abolished, as a relic of barbarism unsuited to the present age.

The San Francisco *Post* is on the war path against the special police, or, as the *Post* styles them, "special blackmailers." The charge is that these specials, while on duty at a stated salary, levy blackmail on the houses of ill-fame, as a reward for winking at what is done in such houses, or for knowing just when to be at a convenient distance round the corner.

The split in the Tammany Democracy of New York has about settled down into a family fight. Tammany kicked out Morrissey, Roosevelt and their crowd; and now they propose to get even by playing Tammany a merry game. They have organized an anti-Tammany club for the especial purpose of opposing the regular ring.

Military and naval circles at Washington are beginning to discuss the proposition of withdrawing garrisons from the forts on the Gulf coast, during the yellow fever season, but at the same time keeping the troops stationed at some point where they can be rushed into the different forts by rail, whenever necessary.

The recent floods in Indiana, Illinois and other Western States, have been very destructive. In some parts the grain crops are almost entirely destroyed, while the potatoes are rotting in the ground. Fears are entertained that the supply will be insufficient for the coming winter.

MARRIED:

In this city Aug 19, Mr. Leander Lewis and Mary J. Hastings.

In this city, Aug. 15, J. H. Honeyman and Miss Mary A. Collier.

NEW TO-DAY.

MISS C. E. BATCHELDER'S
SELECT SCHOOL,
Will Commence
MONDAY, AUG. 30, 1875.
au20d4t

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Executors' Sale.

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For terms of sale apply to
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Half Cash in hand, balance six months' time.

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This property is opposite Public square, and is either residence or business property.

Also, Lot 2, in Block 9, on First street, between Jefferson and Madison.

Also, Lot 3, in Block 9. This is good business property.

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For particulars, see
DeLASHMUTT & OATMAN.
OSCAR KILBOURN, Auctioneer. au18d7t

Desirable City Property.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of a decree of foreclosure and order of sale to me directed, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Multnomah, in favor of T. A. Buckley, plaintiff, and against W. W. Chapman and Margaret F. Chapman, his wife, defendants, for the sum of Five thousand seven hundred and twenty-eight 33-100 dollars ($5,728 33) gold coin, and interest as expressed in said decree, I did on the 12th day of July, 1875, levy upon the real estate mentioned in said order of sale as follows: All that part of the Donation Claim of Margaret F. Chapman, conveyed to her by patent from the United States, bearing date March 8th, 1861, and recorded in volume 1, page 468, U. S. Land Office Records, and bounded as follows, viz: on the east by the center line of Twelfth street extended; on the south by the north line of Jefferson street; on the west by the boundary line of a tract of land heretofore sold by W. W. Chapman and Margaret F. Chapman to Isaac A. Davenport, the deeds of which are recorded in book of deeds "L," page 617 and "Q" page 225 in records of said county and State; and on the north by the boundary line of a tract of land heretofore sold by said W. W. Chapman and Margaret F. Chapman to Jacob Kamm, the deed for which is recorded in the records of said county in book of deeds "E" page 450, reference to all of which deeds is hereby made, said parcel containing four acres more or less, all in the city of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said decree and order of sale, on MONDAY, the 23d day of August A. D. 1875, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court House door in said county, I will sell the above described property at public auction to the highest bidder, to satisfy said decree, interest, costs and accruing costs.

E. J. JEFFERY,
Sheriff of Multnomah County.
Portland, July 21, 1875. 23d5t
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FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 20, 18

CITY.

A CLOSE CALL.—While the northern-bo train was nearing Hubbard's station, on W nesday afternoon, we are informed tha small child, not more than three years narrowly escaped being run over. The l one, when first discovered by the engi was sitting between the rails and engage playing with some pebbles with which ties are covered. Only a short distance in vened between the locomotive and the c when the engineer's quick eye caught sigh it. "Down brakes" was instantly signa and the engine reversed—not a moment soon. As the ponderous train approa nearer and nearer the little one did attempt to get out of the way, or even but only laughed at the noise made by cars. Fortunately the train came to a sta still but a few yards from where the child sitting. As the train halted the engi sprung out and lifted the child from the tr It was a very narrow escape, and the vigila and presence of mind displayed by the e neer is deserving of special commendation

EDUCATIONAL MATTERS.—In the course few weeks, studies will be resumed at all schools of the city. Teachers and scho can resume labors with more zest and p ure since summer recreation. With few ceptions, the same teachers as formerly occupy positions in the public schools. Anderson has returned to the city. Johnson is still enjoying his summer rec tion, as is also Prof. S. W. King, the supe tendent of public instruction. Prof. visited for a few weeks at Dexter's. The lic schools will open about September The St. Helens and Bishop Scott scho sooner. The academy will resume labors week or two. Present appearances indi that there will be a large attendance at schools, when opened. Appearances are vorable for a prosperous year at the schools. The Anglo-German institute young girls, in care of Rev. J. Gantenb and daughters, was reopened last Mon Three or four private schools are to be for this year.

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MUSICAL NOTES.—Some weeks ago Mr John Cordes the well known musician who had been here for several months returned to San Francisco to remain. Mr Robt Yost another well known local musician, will leave soon for Seattle where he proposes to locate permanently in business. J J Finck a young gentleman who has shown himself to be well posted in musical matters during his residence in our city will depart at an early date for Boston where he proposes to complete his studies in a leading institution. It is said another prominent musician will shortly depart for scenes anew. Among the late additions to our musical circles we observe Mr D W Prentice late of Salem who will locate in this city. By the way, what is the Amateur Orchestra Society doing?

SERENADING ON THE WATER.—We were agreeably surprised to hear gentle voices beneath our office windows last evening. Upon peeping out into the open air a boat containing a number of young ladies and gentlemen was seen to float on the water the occupants singing with guitar accompaniment "Little Footsteps," a new and pleasing song. It was a novelty and when the fair serenaders and escorts concluded the first part the attaches of the office heartily applauded the compliment paid the OREGONIAN. The serenaders repeated a verse, at the conclusion of which the ladies debarked at the ferry slip and departed homeward accompanied by their escorts.

THE TO-BE EDITOR.—In referring to Rev E H Waring the elected nominee for the editorship of the *P C Advocate*, Dr Dillon the present editor of that journal says: "He is represented as an able preacher, a clear thinker, a powerful writer and one in all respects devoted to the interests of our church and country. We have not learned as yet when he will arrive to take charge of the work in East Portland, where he will remain in charge until after the general conference in May next when he will no doubt be elected by a unanimous vote as editor of this paper."

ON THE WATERS.—These beautiful moonlight nights render boating a pleasant pastime more particularly when a bevy of young ladies are out with you. Parties were floating about in boats last evening some singing others playing musical instruments. One of the most pleasing sights was a large boat filled with ladies and gentlemen which was brilliantly lighted up by colored lanterns. In the party was a cornet player undoubtedly by profession who discoursed at intervals on that instrument. The floating barge presented a beautiful sight.

RESIGNED—PRINCIPAL ELECTED.—At a meeting of the trustees of the Portland academy held last evening Rev T F Royal presented his resignation as principal of the academy which was accepted and the trustees elected Rev I G Herren to fill the vacancy thereby created. Mr Royal resigned his position here that he may accept a call to the Siletz Indian reservation as a teacher. The next regular term of school at the academy will begin on Monday August 29th.

K OF P.—A petition for dispensation and the institution of a lodge of Knights of Pythias to be located at Marshfield, Coos county, and known and hailed as Myrtle lodge No 3 has been received by D S C Edwin Wilcox and forwarded by him to the supreme chancellor. The lodge will probably be instituted about the first of October next.

ROBBERY.—A few nights since the room of Ah Bong a Celestial resident on Alder street was entered and $200 stolen. He deplores his loss greatly as it was a portion of his earnings for years which he intended to use on a visit to his wife and relations in China. His visit is delayed a year.

ASSISTANT TEACHERS.—By the steamer *Oriflamme* there arrived Mr and Mrs Deger who are to fill positions in the Bishop Scott grammar and divinity school. Mr Deger we understand, will fill the position of head master.

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The steamer will sail for San Francisco this evening.

Pigeon shooting at the White House to-morrow.

The residence of Mr J K Montgomery is being repaired.

At no distant day the Philomathian Literary Society will organize.

Musquitoes have put in an early appearance. They all have good bills.

The Baptist church is receiving a bright coat of paint from top to bottom.

A drove of 25 head of fine merino sheep came up on the steamer *Oriflamme* from California.

Since Monday 53 cars loaded with wheat have been brought into the city on the west side road.

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A small child of Mr W F Brown met with a painful accident a few days ago by cutting off one of its finger.

Mr C A Burkhardt received on the last steamer a Swiss cheese which weighs 200 pounds and is 3½ feet in diameter.

Mr Jas A Smith Grand Worthy Secretary of the Good Templar order will be absent next week on a brief trip down to the sea.

A lad named St Clair and about 13 years old residing in the western portion of the city had the misfortune yesterday to fracture an arm.

A new kind of gymnastic.—A horse in a vegetable wagon turned a complete somerset on Fourth street the other day and then squealed like a hog.

There is talk we hear of another regatta along the city's front among lovers of aquatic sports. A purse of $200 will be the prize captured by the fleetest craft.

On the out-going steamer Mrs B A Tillie and daughter Abbie leave for Oakland, Cal where the family intend to reside hereafter. Mr B A Lillie will remain a short time in Portland then he will also depart.

The San Francisco *Bulletin* of the 13th inst says: "Rev Thomas Guard will deliver his next lecture for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society, on Monday evening next in the Howard street Methodist Church. Subject—Waste."

A little China boy turned the tables on a young hoodlum yesterday. After being hit severely on the head he gathered a rock and chased the hoodlum several blocks and threw at him just as he entered his home. The rock and boy went into the house together.

THE COURTS.

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J

THURSDAY Aug 19 1875

In re tug *Favorite*: report of referee filed and decree made in accordance therewith and dismissing libel of Spedden Bros.

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S A Miles vs A Crisfield assignee: order sustaining demurrer and dismissing petition.

E J Weeks vs W S Ladd et al: defendants have leave to withdraw depositions.

Five other cases against the same defendants, same order entered.

Adjourned to Saturday next at 10 A M.

A SMALL INVESTMENT.—"Yes, these are awful hard times," said a La Salle street broker, as he stood on his steps, talking to a friend. "Mighty tough I expect," was the reply. "Why," said the broker, "I have been investing and investing for a year back—a pile of money I assure you—and I find I have been losing like fury." "Indeed?" "True's I'm living. If I've lost a cent, I've lost more than $300 000." "No! Certain," continued the broker, "and what makes me feel the worst, is, that fully $150 of it was *my own*."

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DESCRIPTION OF THE NEW BUILDING IN NEW YORK.

[From the N Y Evening Mail]

The new postoffice building is a triangular structure the three sides of which front on the City Hall Park Broadway and Park row, respectively. The Park row front is 275 feet long and the other two fronts are 280 feet each in length. The extreme length of the building from the Park front to the opposite extremity is 286 feet. The height from the sidewalk to the lantern on the south end of the building is 195 feet to the pavilion 140 feet and to the dome 182 feet. Below the sidewalk are a basement and a cellar the cellar being 7 feet and the basement 14 feet high. Above these there are five stories the first second and fifth of which are set apart for the postoffice the third and fourth for the courts and the offices connected with them. The first story is 29 feet high all the other stories are 22 feet with the exception of the district and circuit court rooms and the criminal court rooms which rise from the second to the fourth floor. The triangular form of the exterior of the structure is preserved throughout. The building is constructed around a triangular space. This area is vacant except on the first floor. Around this central area extend three broad divisions the inner one being occupied with apartments and chambers, the middle division consisting entirely of corridors which run the whole distance around the building and the third and outer division being taken up by rooms and chambers. The entire building is lighted by tiers of lofty windows from the outside, as well as from the inner space while from the ceiling of the corridors are suspended massive bronze chandeliers bearing gas jets. There are ten elevators in the building for mail matter, and four for passengers and general freight. Twelve of the elevators are worked by hydraulic pressure. The four passenger elevators run to the top of the building, the other ten from the basement to the first floor and gallery. Seven principal staircases rise from the first to the fifth story, and there are about twenty smaller ones to various points in the building. All the staircases are spiral and constructed of iron. There is a heater beneath each window a fanlight over every door and ventilators in every room connecting with the top of the building. The building is fireproof throughout, and sliding window shutters which are of iron two inches thick are so arranged that in case a fire from without threatening the building can be easily closed by persons within. Each floor is lighted by sixty large windows from the outside, and every floor except the first by twenty one windows from the inside, the light coming to these latter by the open central space of the building. The building is rapidly approaching completion, but the postoffice department is not expected to move in before September.

A HUSBAND TREED.—A citizen who was driving along the Jackson road the other day, says the Vicksburg *Herald*, saw a man up a tree near the roadside and halting, he inquired "What are you doing up there?" The man made no reply, and the citizen continued "What's the cause of your being up there?" At that moment a woman rose up from the fence corner, rested a club on the fence, and remarked "I'm the cause, stranger, and if you'll wait till he comes down you'll see the worst field of carnage around here that ever laid out doors." The citizen drove on and she turned to the man up the tree and continued "Polhemus, I can't climb and you know it, but if you'll drop down here for two minutes I'll give you a quit claim deed of the farm!"

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A CARD.

EUREKA W T Aug 17 1875

My attention has been called to an item published in the *Evening Journal* of August 10th under the head of "POISONED BY EATING CANNED SALMON" which reflects upon me as the salmon in question is said to be the Star Brand from my fishery. The item states that when the can was first opened the persons ate of its contents without unpleasant results. The can remained open two days when the same persons again partook of the fish and soon after they began purging as if poisoned etc. This is not to be wondered at, as a can of any kind of canned goods will commence fermenting in a very short time after being opened and allowing the air to come in contact with it more particularly canned fish. The very fact that the parties eat from the can on its first being opened proves that the salmon was good, and that they could only blame themselves for allowing it to stand long enough to spoil before eating it. Any fish will spoil in warm weather sometimes in twenty four hours according to the warmth of the climate [illegible]. In some climates [illegible] keep after being opened for several days. It is the general opinion that when a party opens a can of fish that they will follow the directions [illegible] and not [illegible] until they require to use it and then [illegible] follow the direction. [illegible] first cut the top entirely out of the can then place the can in a dish partly filled with boiling water so the water will come up two thirds to the top of the can and let the can stand until the fish is thoroughly hot. Then when they will empty it out on a dish to be served from table which will avoid breaking the fish. In doing this it comes out in a solid lump, and by covering it with a nice sauce makes a fine and wholesome dish. If wanted cold it is expected that any one would empty the fish out of the can into a vegetable dish and pour vinegar on it if desired this way but it is not expected of any one [illegible] eat a little from the can and let it [illegible] expecting that it will keep any length of time [illegible] and allow the [illegible] of the [illegible] in the fish in any way. I do not [illegible] of any one who has ever done it. My fish come fresh and hard to the shop and are canned at once while fresh. After being nicely cleaned and cut up [illegible] the cans [illegible] washed before putting in any fish. The only thing put in is [illegible] for seasoning. When the fish and salt are in the can it is then sealed up and cooked at once. Great injustice has been done me in publishing any such article and [illegible] have done so until they had proofs that I am guilty of so [illegible] an outrage.

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MESSRS. YATES & CO.,
Who will continue the same at our Old Stand No 113 Front street. Thanking you for your kind patronage so liberally bestowed upon us we would request a continuance of your favors for our successors feeling assured that they will merit the same.
Yours truly,
F B TAYLOR & CO
San Francisco June 23 1875

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HOUSE FURNISHING HARDWARE

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS
SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 1

THE SPECIAL TAX LEVIED BY THIS DISTRICT at their meeting in April is now due and must be paid within thirty days.
By order of the Board of School Directors
A. M. KLAM Clerk
Office First street corner of Fifth
Los Portland August 11 1875 au11d1m

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A COMFORTABLE HAPPY HOME WITH ALL the attention [illegible] furnished to a few [illegible] farm easy of access [illegible] healthful and at [illegible] per month payable [illegible] OREGONIAN the for direction card to the farm. jy24d1m

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The Latest Improvement on the Steinway's,
JUST RECEIVED, AT
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BURLAPS!

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Standard hand-sewed Grain Sacks, 23x36;
Wool Bags, 4 lbs. weight, 40x60,
And 40 inch Burlaps, 11 ounce.
R. C JANION & CO.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.
THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the Oregon Central Pacific Railway Company will be held in the city of Portland Oregon at the office of Gibbs & Hughes, on Saturday the 18th day of September A D 1875.
B J PENGRA
President.
Attest C H[illegible] Secretary
Portland Aug 13 1875 au16td

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OREGON TRANSFER COMPANY
OFFICE & HACK STABLE,
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Calling 50 cents an hour
Riding $1 00 an hour
To or from Trains and Steamboats, 50 cents each person.
To and from Concerts, Theaters, Balls and Parties, $1 00 a couple.
Funerals each Hack $1 00 an hour
All orders given to the Drivers, or left at the office will be promptly attended to day or night.

E. CORBETT'S
Livery, Hack & Feed Stables,
(FIRE PROOF)
COR. SECOND AND TAYLOR STREETS.
Reasonable Charges for Hire. Particular Attention paid to Boarding Horses.
OBSERVE PRICES IN THE HACK DEPARTMENT
Riding $1 00 per hour
Calling $1 00 first hour 50c each additional hour.
To boats 50 cents each passenger
Funerals, $2 per Hack.
To and from Balls and Parties, $1 50 a couple.
Orders left at STABLE or FISHEL & ROBERTS, promptly attended to at any hour.
People without means will be furnished Hacks free to funerals for the next thirty days.

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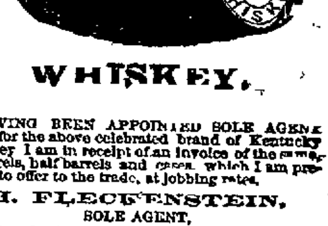

WHISKEY.

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H. FLECKENSTEIN,
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Axes and Hatchets!
An Invoice of above just received and
FOR SALE LOW

Shelf and Builders' Hardware.
MECHANICS' TOOLS,
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67 FRONT STREET, CORNER STARK.
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SUCCESSORS TO
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Having thoroughly refitted the entire Establishment will be pleased to meet their old friends
AT THIS FAVORITE RESORT.
The Finest Wines, Liquors, Etc.
Always on hand for their Guests.
GIVE US A CALL.
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NOTICE
BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
Portland, Ogn 10th Aug 1875

MR EDWIN RUSSELL HAVING RETIRED from the service of the Bank Mr Fredk. Townsend has been appointed Acting Manager.
au11d1t H HUGHES Inspector.

The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 20 1875

MORMON WORSHIP

A letter from a visitor to Salt Lake to the Troy *Times* gives a brief sketch of the Mormon style of worship The writer says

"The principal object to see here is the tabernacle or house of worship This is an oblong building which seats 13 000 people. It has a wide gallery, extending around the entire structure, except at one end where the organ stands This organ is of the same size as the great organ in Boston, and was built by the Mormons upon the very spot where it stands It is thirty two feet in height, and larger than many of the houses in the city It is richly ornamented with carvings in some dark wood It requires four men to blow the bellows There are twenty entrances to this tabernacle We attended service there this afternoon at 2 o clock There were about 5,000 people present. The service lasted two hours and a quarter The choir is composed of 100 men and women The men sit upon one side of the tabernacle, the women upon the other The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is celebrated every Sunday it consists of bread and water, all partake of it who have been baptized, it is served by ten men during the preaching of the sermon They have but one service a week in the tabernacle, and that is on Sunday at 2 P M The Sunday schools and other church services are held in the ward churches—twenty-one in all The sermon this morning was given by Elder Taylor one of the twelve Apostles of the Church It lasted one hour and twenty minutes, and yet I did not see a nodding head in the audience! The service is similar to ours, or about the same. It is opened by a hymn, then a prayer is made by one of the Elders, then a hymn, then the sermon The sermon is an extemporized lecture, no text is taken, although the Bible (a large copy) rests upon the desk, The Book of Mormon is also upon the desk. The minister neither read from the Bible nor the Book of Mormon During the sermon, or at the commencement of the sermon, eight Deacons prepare the bread—that is, break it and put it into the silver baskets, when it is ready the minister pauses a moment, and one of the Elders descends from his seat and blesses it After the bread has been taken around, which requires some time, then the Deacons pour the water from the silver pitchers into large silver cups When that is ready there is another pause in the sermon another Elder comes down and blesses the water, and that is served! The ceremony occupies nearly all of the time the sermon is going on There are two barrels of water, from which the Deacons replenish their pitchers from time to time The communicants seem to take a good drink of water, instead of a sip only, indeed, I saw no one take less than several swallows That accounts for the necessity of two barrels Oh, but such a congregation of hard countenances! They are a hard work looking people, browned by exposure to the air, and dressed in clothes and bonnets that they brought with them when they came out as pioneers

PORTABLE "BEER POWDER"—An evil future is impartially preparing for both the apostles of the Permissive bill and the great public house interest itself Science, with its wonted absence of prejudice, has just dealt each side of the question a knock-down blow A Frankfort journal reports that a chemist of that city has lately given a public exhibition of his ability to make delicious beer at a moment's notice out of nothing but a small quantity of brownish powder and a pail of water. It is said that certain experts present—some of them brewers themselves—could not distinguish between the beverage thus made on the spot and that drawn from the orthodox cask The new beer-powder can be sold at five pence an ounce, and one ounce is sufficient to produce a gallon of beer At this rate a glass of ale will cost about a farthing And the process is so simple! Take some pure, cold water, put the powder into it, stir well, and the beer is ready The inventor, moreover, declares that by a slight change in his ingredients he can alter the quality of the beer and produce any kind that may be desired Shortly, therefore, a great revolution may be expected With a few grains of Bass in one pocket and a pinch or two of Ind and Coope in the other, the thirsty but not even bona fide traveler of the future will calmly make for the nearest pump and there contentedly drink confusion alike to Sir Wilfrid Lawson and to the licensed victualler —*Pall Mall Gazette*

OLD SOLDIERS' STORIES —Several powder-begrimed veterans gathered in a certain police station the other evening, says the Louisville *Courier Journal*, to keep out of the rain for a few minutes, and while there discussed the late war

"I remember," says one, "that a bullet passed clear through George Gay's body and never killed him"

"I recollect," said another, "that a ball lodged in Bill Payson's lung and never was taken out, but he lived"

"I," said a third "know well when the doctors thought Henry Hill's life was gone up as a 'minie' lodged within an inch of his heart, but he lived"

"Jake Johnson's head was pierced by a ball, and he lived," exclaimed the last man but one

These remarks produced considerable surprise and excited speech from all save a tall, slim, and sleepy individual, who waited till his companions concluded, and then drawled, in piping accents—

"Those fellows was a little tough, I allow but Jim Jones, who fit aside of me, was shot in the neck so that his head just hung by the skin"

"Great heavens!" ejaculated all "you don't mean to say he lived, do you?"

"Oh, no, *he* died," drawled slim and sleepy

A SENSIBLE GRANDMOTHER.—Those who knew Mrs Sartoris as a girl, a belle and a wife will admire her even more as a mother and her friends are crowding upon her their congratulations upon the attainment of the purest and the grandest womanly ambition Esteem and pleasure and congratulation have taken every form and the proud young mother is bewildered with poetry and presents All of Washington has been wondering why the little fellow was not allowed to be "borned" in the White House so as to have started out in life's journey with the greatest possible *eclat*, and a great deal of indignation is expressed by ambitious mothers at the slight imposed upon the youngster But Grandmother Grant has answered all this gossip with the remark It's so much more healthy for Nellie here, where the air is fresh and the breezes cool, and we weren't going to risk our daughter in the heat and excitement at Washington for the mere privilege of having a grandson born in the White House"—*Letter to the Chicago Inter Ocean*

A SAILOR BOY'S DREAM —A young citizen of Rochester, who was once a sailor, reports that one night when off the west coast of Africa, he dreamed that he saw his mother's corpse and the friends around it as at a funeral He awakened and found himself weeping He was so impressed with the dream that he noted the time when it passed through his mind, and when he arrived in port and hastened home he found that at precisely the time he had noted the facts that he had dreamed about had actually transpired

NOT WORTH LOOKING AT —At a small church in England recently, upon the reverend gentleman" announcing his text, a respectably attired female entered the church, causing the hearers to look round to see who the latest arrival was whereupon the reverend 'gentleman' said 'Now, my friends, just look at me, let me have your attention, for those who come in late are not worth looking at"

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

THURSDAY EVENING, August 19 1875

Gold in New York 114

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 87 selling 88

Coin Exchange on San Francisco at par

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent premium

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent premium

Currency Exchange on New York ½ per cent premium

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium

Gold Bars 750 par

There is no noticeable development of a new or interesting character in our local money market since our last weekly review In fact we are hardly yet through the summer dullness during which any exciting movement cannot well be expected and which is counted as the holiday of business men in the cities A revival of trade matters however is something which everybody will confidently look for in the course of a fortnight more at least. One thing that will bring about that revival here will be the appearance of some one in the market who can and is willing to venture upon the somewhat uncertain business of chartering and loading of grain ships either at Portland or Astoria Shippers here seem to have learned something of this uncertainty heretofore and notwithstanding the recent rise in the breadstuffs markets of Europe there is no material anxiety on the part of our exporters to take up ships to that trade Three if not four vessels as good as at hand are now in this market for charter and yet we can hear of no offers. The high rates of the early part of the harvest year of 1874 5 for ships are not expected by shipowners but neither can they yet feel reconciled to charter at the extremely low prices that seem to be governing transactions now in San Francisco where some vessels are engaging at £3 while more are loading on owners account. Once let the difficult task of reconciling the difference now existing between shippers and shipowners be accomplished and we may quickly see a revival in this important branch of business in our midst and consequently a more active feeling in all other department of trade

Beerbohm's London and Liverpool telegram of August 15th is as follows

Floating cargoes not much demand cargoes on passage quiet Mark Lane firm No 2 spring off coast [illegible] California on passage [illegible] English and French country markets still Liverpool [illegible] easier—whites steady California club 11s 10d@11s 4d California average, 11s 8d@11s, red Western spring 10s 8d@11s 2d farmers deliveries of wheat in United Kingdom for week 35 000 qrs imports into United Kingdom of wheat for week 275 000 qrs, imports into United Kingdom of flour for week 75,000 barrels. The weather in England continues showery

Later advices indicate but a slight decline in these figures since that date and with the [illegible] demand a better margin than was enjoyed last year ought to be realized by those who have confidence in the continuation of this condition of the market Quite enough breadstuffs with other surplus produce are now held in Oregon to relieve all the general financial pressure that is felt by her people and we hope soon to see a large flow of these products to the markets of demand and a turning of the balance of trade which for some months past has been against us in our favor once more

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—The receipts of new wheat at this point are increasing and a very general disposition on the part of farmers to sell is shown though there are exceptions found who are perhaps too sanguine. There have been 63 car loads or 17 000 bushels received from Yamhill and Washington counties during the four days of this week a very considerable quantity from up the Columbia and perhaps enough by the boats on the Willamette and by the eastside road to make up a total of 50 000 bushels though a portion of this is wheat of the old crop which had been held for an advance The Liverpool market to-day is reported at 11s d ⅌ cental ex wearhouse for average California Private advices from San Francisco, quote that market at $1 [illegible] cental. Our market is quiet and buyers are backward at anything above $1 [illegible] ⅌ cental

FLOUR—There is still quite an active movement in shipments to San Francisco and with a slight decline in receipts we note the [illegible] of reduced but by no means depleted stocks in the hands of the agents of our State mills Quotations are still firm at $6 ⅌ bbl for standard extras $5 50 for good outside and country brands and $5 for superfine

OATS—The receipts are light and no shipments abroad have been made during the week the home trade consuming about all offering The milling quotation is 54@55 cents ⅌ bushel The crop is reported a good average in many localities but taking the scope of country at large which supplies this market it is hardly thought the yield per acre will be beyond that of last year which was considered short. The acreage however is greater and the aggregate yield will be much greater while the prospect for good prices is much better than last full

MILL FEED—There is no active demand now and with light receipts the trade is quite dull. We quote jobbing prices $16@17 ⅌ ton for bran $22 50 @25 for shorts and $28@30 for chops middlings etc.

BARLEY—Prices are unchanged and in the absence of sufficient transactions to establish prices we quote feed at $1 25 and choice brewing $1 40@1 45 per cwt.

POTATOES—The new crop in full supply is now in the market and selling at 50@55 cents per bushel, according to variety

ONIONS—Some large importations from California are at hand and our home crop is reported fair We quote at $1 75@2 ⅌ 100 lbs.

FRESH FRUIT—The market is filled with ripe fruits of all seasonable kinds and prices are moderate but quotations depend altogether on quality and condition and the wants of buyers

BACON—The supply is not so large and with a falling off in receipts prices have stiffened up a little and quotations are now furnished at 12@13 c ⅌ lb for sides 12½@13c for hams and 8@9c for shoulders

LARD—The supply is not excessive and quotations are firm at 15@16 cents per lb in kegs or tins

EGGS—Jobbing lots have been placed to-day at 33@35 cents ⅌ dozen but the market is weak and a decline is anticipated

BUTTER—There is a fair demand for a good article but common lots are more plentiful We quote rolls for fair to choice 25@30c ⅌ lb extra choice 30@35c and common 15@20c In kegs we quote extra at 25@30c ⅌ lb in jobbing lots

CHEESE—Choice Oregon made quotable in this market 17@18 cents ⅌ lb

CHICKENS—The market is quite freely supplied with full grown at $4 50 per dozen and spring $2 50 @$2 75

BEEF CATTLE—Quotations remain at 3½@4c ⅌ lb neat and 1¾@2¼ on foot

MUTTON SHEEP—A light demand rules at from $2@2 75 ⅌ head.

DRESSED HOGS—Trade dull at from 5½@6½c ⅌ lb

HIDES AND FURS—There is quite an active trade for the season and we quote best selected hides at 16c ⅌ lb culls ⅓ off green 6c elk 15@20c ⅌ lb deer 18@35c ⅌ lb for dried and 50@75c each green mink skins $1 50 each otter $10@ each beaver 50c@$1

WOOL—Transactions have not been large during the week under review but shipments foot up quite heavily mostly to order in San Francisco or the East. The steamer Idaho carried away 285 000 lbs this afternoon and another large invoice will go by the Oriflamme to morrow The spring clip is generally out of first hands

Shipping Intelligence.

The German bark Willy Rickmers hence with a cargo of wheat arrived at Falmouth Aug 2d 165 days out.

The steamship Oriflamme will sail for San Francisco hence at 4 o clock to morrow afternoon

The steamship Idaho with a full freight last sailed for San Francisco late this afternoon

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 19—Arrived—Schr Hera Astoria ship Ada May Apia, Navigator Islands 5 mr City of Panama Panama and way ports Sailed—Br ship Atlantic Callao bktn Melancthon Portland bktn Harrison Seattle

San Francisco Markets

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 19—Flour—Extra jobbing $7@7 25

Wheat—There are buyers at $1 80@2 1½ but round lots of choice cannot be secured at these figures

Barley—Coast feed $1 50 bay feed $1 55 new brewing $1 60 old bay brewing $1

Oats—Medium $1 90 good $2, choice $2 05@$2 07½

Potatoes—$1 50 and down to $1 25

Corn—Large yellow $1 16@1 20

Hay—$11@18 ⅌ ton

EXPORTS

Per steamship Idaho for San Francisco dispatched by the O S S Co Aug 19th 600 bushels wheat 291 sacks flour 813 bales 285 413 lbs wool 11 bbls of half bbls and 50 cases salmon cases bacon and 45 miscellaneous packages

Per schooner Oregon dispatched Aug 15th for San Francisco by G H Flanders Agent—1 900 bu [illegible] wheat 3480 bu flesh staves

Per schooner Hera for San Francisco Aug 12th dispatched by the O S S Co 15 831 bushels of wheat

For Corvallis.

The Steamer OHIO will leave Dock Portland for CORVALLIS and all Way Ports on WEDNESDAY July 21, at 6 A M Freight reasonable For further information apply on board or to

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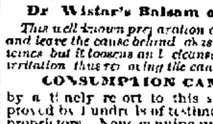

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SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at E M Burton's office No 7 First street (up stairs) until 1 o'clock M Friday the twenty seventh day of August 1875 for the erection of an addition to the Insane Asylum East Portland

Bids must state the price for building and furnishing all materials according to the plans and specifications

Bonds with approved security will be required. The building to be finished by the first day of November next

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved [illegible] J C HAWTHORNE

Twelfth Street

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland until 12 o'clock M Tuesday August 24 1875 for the improvement of Twelfth street between Washington and Columbia streets as provided by Ordinance No 1661

Bids must state the price per [illegible] of each block the price per cubic yard for excavation and embankment and the price per lineal foot for sidewalks and crosswalks

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders in the sum of five hundred dollars to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder he will upon its being so awarded enter into contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for the faithful performance

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved

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Committee on Streets and Public Property

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Carl Bosco and A J Megler Photographers Portland Oregon under the firm name of Bosco & Megler is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Tuesday August 3 1875 aul dst

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Portland	7 30 A M	Roseburg	7 10 P
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LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	3 60 P M	Albany	9 25 P M
Albany	5 30 A M	Portland	10 05 A M

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WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE SUPERINtendent of the Oregon State Penitentiary at his office in Salem until 12 o'clock M September [illegible] for the [illegible] proposals will be opened in presence of the Governor and Secretary of State at [illegible] September [illegible] for lease to the highest bidder of the labor of [illegible] convicts for a period not exceeding three years

[illegible] to be performed within the prison enclosure and the convicts to be kept by the prison [illegible] and [illegible] seven working hours from October 1st to April 1 and ten working hours from April 1st to October 1 with [illegible]

Not [illegible] will be considered [illegible] Bonds [illegible] the [illegible]

W H WATKINDS Supt
Salem Aug [illegible] au[illegible]

Notice to Tax-Payers.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON MONDAY the [illegible] day of August the Board of Equalization for the County of Multnomah State of Oregon will attend at the office of the County Clerk of said county at the office of the County Clerk to publicly examine the Assessment Roll and correct all errors in valuation description or [illegible] of lands or other property and all parties interested therein are hereby notified to appear at the time and place above mentioned

O M BARNARD
Assessor of Multnomah County Oregon
August [illegible]

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Front Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASsessment made by Ordinance No 1667 for the improvement of Front street in the manner provided by Ordinance No 1625 on each of the following described lots and parts of lots fronting upon that part of Front street lying between the center of Washington street and the north line of Ash street as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersection of said street with streets running at right angles therewith is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof

Block	Lot	Owner	Assessm t
34	N ½ 4	A P & L Ankeny	$219 37
[illegible]	[illegible]	Thos Stephens	127 56
	[illegible]	I E & W K Smith	114 73
		I B Smith	216 12
		Henry Failing	111 1
	[illegible]	Benj Stark	114 32
	[illegible]	Jacob Kamm	12 69
30	[illegible]	Bloch & Colin	126 05
	[illegible]	Millard & Vanschuyver	117 [illegible]
	N ½ 2	Eugene Shelby	114 70
	S ½ 2	Xavier & Burnside	314 11
		A H Hallock and Estate of W McMillen	220 14
10	[illegible]	H W Corbett	104 87
	[illegible]	I & H Failing	96 71
		Mrs Lucy Mead	100 01
40	[illegible]	E & N Lusenbury	112 0
	[illegible]	J H Salter	143 0
[illegible]	N ½ 4	Benj Stark	303 00
		Estate of Wm Creed	156 5
39	N ½ 1	Ladd & Tilton	141 70
	S ½ 1	Smith & Davis	127 48
		I White & Co	122 7
	S ½	B Goldsmith	118 0
	3 4	Jas S Stinson	422 4
Centre		H F Harrington	16 94
		Noah Lambert	12 1
		H J Hoyt	12 42
		C W Cook	12 42
		J Watson	37 20
O S N Co	1	R R Thompson & J Kamm	853 17
81	1 4	Benj Stark	598 [illegible]2
80		B J Price	198 63
	N ½	L F Smith	93 67
	S ½	S G Reed & H Failing	19 13
79	1	H H Hatch	182 81
		L M Starr	202 [illegible]
	N ½	J R Bailey	91 80
	S ½	J S Smith	293 [illegible]8
			$7 418 71

By order of the Common Council
W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk
August 16 1875 au16d10d

Montgomery Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSment made by Ordinance No 1665 for the improvement of Montgomery street in the manner provided by Ordinance No 1641 on each of the following described lots fronting upon that part of Montgomery street lying between Fourth and Tenth streets as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersection of said street with streets running at right angles there with is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof

Block	Lot	Owner	Assessm t
2[illegible]	1 2 7 8	Blumauer & Rosenblatt	$193 22
2[illegible]	1 2 7 8	J F Rosenbaum	248 57
Park	1 1	City of Portland	357 0
266	1	C H Sevenair	27 56
	2	W W Page	32 47
	8	E Zeitfuchs	[illegible] 83
161	1 2 7 8	Fleischner & Hirsch	64 39
153	1 7 8	Estate of L A Davenport	84 98
11	4	J H Wilbur	18 40
162	3 4	J B Strowbridge	9 41
162	4	W A Smith	31 76
		Walson Bowlby	18 75
			$1 0[illegible]5 [illegible]9

By order of the Common Council
W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk.
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Street Notice.

ALL PERSONS OWNING PROPERTY ABUTting on that part of Front and First streets that are now improved by Nicolson pavement lying north and south of that portion now under contract will take immediate steps to have the same repaired as such work can be done at less cost now than at any other time as old blocks may be used in such work Notices are made out and will be served in a few days P W DAVIS, Superintendent of Streets

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Pine Street Sewer.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland until 12 o clock M Tuesday August 24 1875 for furnishing material and putting in a sewer in Pine street, in the manner provided by Ordinance No 1670

Bids must specify the price for each kind of material and work required by the specifications on file in said office where blanks for bids and all necessary information can be obtained

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders in the sum of five hundred dollars to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder he will upon its being so awarded enter into contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for its faithful performance

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved

R R THOMPSON
L BESSER
JOHN CATLIN
Committee on Streets and Public Property

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIAtion out of the Fire Department Fund

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The sum of six hundred dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Fire Department Fund to provide for a supply of water as provided by Ordinance No 1428

Passed the Common Council August 4 1875

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved August 5 1875

J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

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AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATION for expenses of Fire Alarm Telegraph

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The sum of two hundred dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund to provide for expenses connected with the Fire Alarm Telegraph

Passed the Common Council August 4 1875

W S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk

Approved August 5 1875

J A. CHAPMAN
Mayor

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AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE No 1481 entitled An Ordinance to provide for the licensing and regulating Bar rooms and Drinking shops

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 That section two (2) of Ordinance No 1481 entitled An Ordinance to provide for licensing and regulating Bar rooms and Drinking shops as amended by Section one (1) of Ordinance No 1512 entitled An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No 1481 entitled An Ordinance to provide for licensing and regulating Bar rooms and Drinking shops be so amended as to read as follows:

Section 2. Before a license shall issue as provided in this Ordinance the applicant shall file with the Auditor a bond in the sum of one thousand dollars with two or more sureties to be approved by the Mayor payable to the city of Portland conditioned that he will keep an orderly house and and in all things comply with the provisions of this ordinance during the time specified in said bond which said time shall expire at the end of the current quarter or at the end of any quarter not exceeding four (including the current quarter) next following the date thereof as the applicant may elect Attached to such bond shall be an affidavit verified by the sureties thereto to the effect that they are householders or freeholders in said city and are worth in the aggregate at least double the amount of said bond over and above all debts liabilities and property exempt from execution, and that they are not dealers in wine spirituous or malt liquors

Passed the Common Council August 4 1875

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved August 5 1875

J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 1670.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIME and manner of improving that part of Pine street lying between Fourth street and the Willamette river by putting in a sewer at the expense of the property benefited

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 That the proposed improvement of that part of Pine street lying between the east side of Fourth street and a point in the Willamette river below low water mark by putting in a sewer shall be completed in the manner hereinafter provided on or before the first day of November 1875

Section [illegible] That portion of the street necessary to be used for digging the trench shall be cleared of all obstructions (except gas and water mains) at the expense of the contractor who shall, after the pipe is laid and the trench filled replace the pavement and all portions of street improvements disturbed leaving the street in as good order as the same may be at the time of commencing the work except such portion as the Committee on Streets and Public Property may direct to be omitted for the purpose of making other improvements

Section [illegible] The improvement shall consist of putting in a sewer of Terra Cotta pipe of nine inches inside diameter from Fourth street to Second street and of twelve inches inside diameter from Second street to the outlet in the Willamette river with catchwater basins manholes [illegible] socket [illegible] branches such points as the Committee on Streets and Public Property may direct. It to include the substitution of iron pipe and the necessary piling concrete and other work on that portion between the outlet in the Willamette river and the solid bank east of Front street The work to be done and the materials furnished to be [illegible] in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Auditor and Clerk marked [illegible] Plans and Specifications [illegible] sewer in Pine street

Section 4 The expense of said sewer shall be assessed to the property directly benefited thereby and [illegible] Leonard C W Burrage and J H O [illegible] are hereby appointed to make such assessment as provided by Section 100 of the Charter

Section 5 The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress and shall be responsible for any loss or accident resulting from carelessness or neglect

Section 6 The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for proposals receive bids and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the improvement specified in this Ordinance

Section 7 The improvement shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets

Passed the Common Council August 11 1875

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved August 13 1875

J A CHAPMAN
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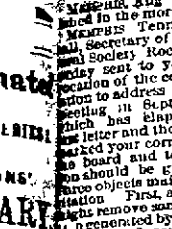

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Seminal Weakness.

Seminal Emissions the consequence of self abuse This solitary vice, or depraved [illegible] practiced by the youth of [illegible] unlimited extent, producing [illegible] ty, the following train of symptoms [illegible] combatted by scientific [illegible] low countenance dark spots [illegible] the head, ringing in the ears [illegible] of leaves and failing of [illegible] the loins, weakness of the [illegible] blunted intellect, loss of confidence [illegible] approaching strangers, a dislike [illegible] quaintances, disposition to shun society, [illegible] memory, hectic flushes, pimples and various eruptions about the face, furred tongue [illegible] coughs consumption, night sweats [illegible] frequent insanity If relief be [illegible] apply immediately, either in person or by letter have a cure effected by his new [illegible] of treating this disease, which [illegible] ing a quick and radical cure. Dr [illegible] Hundred Dollars to any person who [illegible] satisfactorily to him that he was cured [illegible] plaint by either of the San Francisco [illegible]

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

North First Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of North First street lying between A and F streets by grading laying sidewalks not less than twelve feet in width and planking the roadway the full width between curbs

W. S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
August 9 1875

Montgomery Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the City of Portland propose to construct a sewer of Terra Cotta Pipe with the necessary gratings and catch basins in the south side of Montgomery street from the west side of Front street to a point about twenty feet east of the east line of Front street and from thence easterly about two hundred and forty feet a sewer of three inch plank The expense thereof to be assessed upon the property benefited

W S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk
August 9 1875

South Fourth Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of South Fourth street lying between Lincoln and Sheridan streets by laying sidewalks crosswalks running north and south and plank gutters where necessary, with the requisite grading therefor

W S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
August 14 1875

TO IMMIGRANTS.

PLEASE CALL AT STATE BOARD OF IMMIgration Rooms Ankeny s Market, and procure tickets entitling you to travel by Railroads and Steamers all over the State at half fares. Also where employment is obtainable farms for sale and to rent and other information as to Oregon, free of charge.

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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

A Letter from Jefferson Davis.

MEMPHIS Aug 19—The following letter is published in the morning papers

MEMPHIS Tenn Aug 16, 1875—Mr Y P Kimball Secretary of the Winnebago County Agricultural Society Rockford Illinois—*Dear Sir*, I yesterday sent to you a telegram announcing my revocation of the conditional acceptance of the invitation to address your association at their annual meeting in September next. The long period which has elapsed since the receipt of your letter and the considerate courtesy which has marked your correspondence, make it my duty to the board and to myself that a sufficient explanation should be given of this change of purpose. [illegible] objects mainly induced me to accept the invitation First, a hope that personal intercourse might remove some of the prejudices which had been generated by partisan factions and nurtured by sectional and sectional hate, to us in former years [illegible] promote the interest of the great valley of the Mississippi and believing that, with mutual confidence and intelligence much could be done for [illegible] advancement [illegible] of your invitation until it became reasonably probable it could be met The productive capacity of the northwest needs for its development cheaper and quicker transportation to markets north and west, also those of foreign countries. In [illegible] attention has been directed, for several [illegible] past to more direct and economical trade with the Mississippi valley. In this connection there is a desire to confer with the Patrons of Husbandry in your rich and prosperous section, to discuss with them the questions involved in securing, between them the means of transporting your farm products to the most favorable markets, and of providing [illegible] which should insure large returns to farm [illegible] and by such conference to learn the views of [illegible] member of the family of the Mississippi valley, [illegible] interest of all the members of which is [illegible] culture. But they are cultivators of such varied crops as to make trade among themselves extensive and lucrative while in each it stands upon [illegible] same interests and same policy as to foreign trade To render such conference effectual, there [illegible] needs be a disposition to attend to the subject under consideration Surely it is not your purpose [illegible] the interposition of matters having no just relation to the subject [illegible] second object was to recognize the courtesy of your board, and I was encouraged to believe that your reception of me would be beneficial rather than injurious to your association [illegible] was more supposable because several other agricultural societies of Illinois had in like manner invited me to address their annual meetings [illegible] I received a printed paper, being a protest of a number of your fellow countrymen against the action of your board in their invitation to me to [illegible] the annual address at the county meeting [illegible] I sent you a telegram withdrawing my acceptance of the invitation, under the conviction [illegible] would not be useful or agreeable to participate in [illegible] meeting and I knew that neither your association nor the directors will suffer harm by the delay [illegible] procuring an orator, or by the correspondence which has caused it. The third object was to gratify a wish long entertained to see in its cultivated [illegible] the country known to me as a trackless wilderness, but that being merely a personal gratification, it may be indulged at any convenience or [illegible] postponed indefinitely I can well believe that [illegible] cause which changes my purpose [illegible] unforeseen by you as by me. You may be assured that I feel no dissatisfaction toward the directors or yourself, and have suffered no personal embarrassment at the event, as the invitation was accepted and only acceptable as an expression of general good will. So my only regret is the loss of an opportunity to promote a public interest in which the welfare of your community is [illegible] Again expressing a hope that neither the directors nor yourself may suffer injury or annoyance, and thanking you for the kindness and consideration you have manifested—I am

Respectfully yours, JEFFERSON DAVIS

Failure of a New York Produce Firm.

NEW YORK Aug 20—The *Sun* reports the failure of [illegible]ford Hers & Co produce dealers on Broad [illegible]

Suspension of Print Works.

[illegible] print works at Passaic suspended yesterday throwing 500 persons out of work.

The Troubles of the Faithful.

NEW YORK, Aug 20—J D Townsend, counsel for the legislative committee on crime, presented to [illegible] charges to Mayor Wickham to-day, containing specifications against Police Commissioners [illegible], Disbecker and Vorhees and asking their removal for neglect of duty, incapacity for office,

Judgment against a Railway Company.

[illegible] was entered by the county clerk to-day in favor of the Fourth National Bank, against the Burlington Cedar Rapids and Minnesota R. R. Co., $163,640 on eleven notes

Money and Stocks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Gold closed at 113½, money [illegible], governments, steady, stocks steady—Pacific Mail [illegible], Panama, 131 Quicksilver, 1½ W F 80, N Y Central 104½ Erie 15½ Union Pacific, 74, [illegible], 102½, Central Pacific 103.

The Georgia Troubles.

AUGUSTA, GA., Aug. 20.—A dispatch from Sandersville, Washington county, reports the arrest of [illegible] Harris one of the leaders in the plot He has [illegible] a confession implicating Prince Rivers, major general of the South Carolina militia, Rivers [illegible] emphatically denies the charge. There are 70 negroes in jail at Sandersville. Governor Smith is expected there to night.

All Quiet in Georgia.

AUGUSTA Aug 20—All quiet. Arrests still continue, Morris and Harris ring leaders are still at [illegible] It is believed there will be no further trouble. The negroes have dispersed, and returned [illegible]

Philadelphia Wool Market.

PHILADELPHIA Aug 20—A little more inquiry for fleeces may be noted. Medium fleeces and [illegible] wool in demand. The tone of the market unchanged California fine and medium, 18@ [illegible] coarse 15@25c.

Suicide.

DENVER Col Aug 20—Col John H White, of [illegible] committed suicide here this morning by shooting himself through the head. The act is attributed to dissipation and financial distress.

Transportation Matters.

NEW YORK Aug. 20.—At a meeting of the board of managers of the produce exchange to-day the new [illegible] for grading grain as agreed upon between the produce exchange and the railroads, were adopted, [illegible] will go into force after being posted ten days. [illegible] advanced schedule of passenger rates has been [illegible] upon by agents of the Erie New York Central Pennsylvania and Baltimore and Ohio railroads, to go into effect Monday The new schedule [illegible] is on the basis of $20 to Chicago $25 to St. Louis and $36 to Omaha,

Cuban Business House in Trouble.

There are rumors of trouble with a prominent house in the Cuban trade to-day

Davis to Address an Illinois Agricultural Society.

CHICAGO Aug 20—The *Times* special from Gales[burg] Illinois says that Jefferson Davis accepted the invitation of the Knox county agricultural society to deliver an address at the Knoxville fair in September next

WASHINGTON CITY.

Cuban Privateers.

CHICAGO, Aug 20—A Washington special says it [illegible] that two filibusters are now approaching the Cuban coast the *Octavia* and the *Pedro Zarilla*. The latter escaped from New York about August [illegible] and has not hitherto attracted much notice. [illegible] vessel as well as the *Octavia* was well provided with arms. Cuban agents are very sanguine of the success of both vessels.

Government Suits against Swindlers.

The department of Justice is preparing papers to [illegible] suits against Barnum Bros , of New York, [illegible] swindle the government out of $23 000 worth of clothing for the marine corps Suit will also be brought against Capt. Maddox the United States [illegible] officer at Philadelphia. Friends of this officer claim that he was deceived by a dishonest clerk [illegible] presented the voucher for his signature [illegible] however will not relieve the officer from prosecution and court martial

Death of Rear Admiral Collins—The Succession.

WASHINGTON Aug 20—A telegram received at the navy department to-day from Capt. Simpson commanding the steamer *Omaha*, dated Panama, [illegible] announced the death of Rear Admiral [illegible] Collins commanding the South Pacific [illegible] which occurred at Callao on the 9th inst He [illegible] of [illegible] after an illness of three days [illegible] was buried with military honors in the protestant cemetery at Bell Vista near Callao Rear Admiral Reed Worden is ordered to the command of the South Pacific station and until his arrival the command devolves on Capt Simpson. The death [illegible] of Commodore Stephen D. Trenchard but [illegible] been an excess of one in the list of commodores [illegible] months on account of the reinstatement of Commodore John C Beaumont by congress last [illegible] This law allows but [illegible] officers of the grade [illegible] commodore

Statement of Graham Bros. & Co.

WASHINGTON Aug 20—The statement of assets [illegible] liabilities of Graham Bros & Co suspended [illegible] shows that the assets a large portion of which [illegible] in the western portion of this city [illegible] put at $119 000 and the liabilities at $60,000 A [illegible] position to accept the notes of the firm for their [illegible] payable in 6 12 18 and 24 months, with interest [illegible] meets favorable consideration

Chicago Officials on a Tour of Inspection.

WASHINGTON Aug 20—Following officials from Chicago arrived in this city Mayor John [illegible] Mr A [illegible] superintendent of parks and [illegible] of Spring Grove Cemetery. The object of the